

On This Side Of The Sun

By Phat

And to think that it was only ten days ago when the following so-called verse was submitted but side-tracked for the time being.

Spring is come,
The water's frizz.
I wonder where
The flowers izz?

Bet "Anon," who sent it in, wished he had some more of that early spring this week.

TRAFFIC—One of the most meaningless contests, in my opinion, was that ten-day check in Los Angeles to determine which were the worst drivers, men or women. It was meaningless because they kept a count of how many men were arrested for violations and how many women, and also a count of the number of men drivers and women drivers were involved in accidents. But they did not keep it on a percentage basis. How many men drivers are there and how many women drivers? Then they would have had something. It's like saying that the batter who gets three hits out of 20 times up is a better batter than the guy who gets one out of one time up. Percentage, that is. By the way, the count showed many more men in trouble than women. Perhaps that's why this gripe.

RADIO—Conky Conkwright, the KCMJ hillbilly, gets Villagers out of bed early these days. His program comes on at 7:05 a. m., which, to most Palm Springs residents, is just after midnight. This morning he had Wall Spalding before the mike but the tables were reversed. Spalding did the questioning, trying to prove that Conky is a phoney hillbilly—but Conky held his own. Tomorrow Mrs. Lilly Goff, a pioneer here, is going to describe the first Easter Dawn service 25 years ago. Last week Postmaster R. M. (Pop) Gorham, was on at dawn. Said he was worried about something I had said. Conky came back with: "Oh, don't worry. Let that guy stew in his own phat."

THE NEWS—You have to go clear across the continent to get data on your own home town, sometimes. In Neal O'Hara's "Take It From Me" column in The Boston Traveler, appears this: "Unless the ban on unnecessary construction has halted the project, for which ground has already been broken, Palm Springs will have a swank new hotel on a 50-acre site valued at \$10,000 an acre. Each apartment (at \$44 to \$50 a day, European plan) will include a fireplace and a snack bar. And the place will be heated and cooled by electricity." . . . Asked P. M. Swart at the building department about that and he said he didn't know any more about it than I did—which is nothing.

THE VILLAGE—Fellow in town got an invitation to attend a swank affair this week. The bid closed with this P.S., "Are you married, or have you a gal? Bring one, but not both." . . . Another Villager tells me he discovered something new this week. Said he had, on occasion after dawdling too long on a bar stool, seen double, but the other night was the first time he heard double. He was listening to the Pago Pago trio. Al Dean, Teddy Emons and Bobby Hutton play "Rose Room" and thought it was Benny Goodman's sextet. . . . Best sign of the week, noted on a theater marquee advertising a double feature, while driving to Los Angeles, was:

AND THEN THERE WERE
NONE GETTING
GERTIE'S GARTER

MUSIC—Well, we still have "Oh, What It Seems To Be" on top but, as noted last week, "You Won't Be Satisfied" is still climbing and will be there soon. . . . Am looking forward to two treats soon. Wes and Judy of the Rainbow Room are going to Hollywood soon to record an album for a prominent record firm and have promised me an autographed copy. . . . Eddie Dowell of the Holly Room is also going to cut some records and among them are going to be some of the popular old-timers I have been unable to get, so he says.

THE MAIL—"Most embarrassed woman in town was the driver who knocked a policeman off his feet this week," comes a postcard. . . . From H. M.: "My customary good nature evaporates swiftly after waiting from five to ten minutes to get across the street because there are so many boorish drivers." . . . "Who was the first white settler in Palm Springs?" queries E. H. Hess of Simi, a Sun reader in Ventura county. Anyone help him out? . . . "I thought the Desert Circus ended April 7. Then how come so many places are still displaying Circus Week signs?" asks a writer.

IN CONCLUSION—This column is short this week—but so am I, after Circus Week. Anyway, a young lady asked me this week if she could write my column. Said Mrs. G did and what had Mrs. G that she didn't have. The answer was simple: "Me."

Riverside county's share in the \$39,660 total paid in filing fees by 392 candidates for election office was announced at \$551.44.

Hospital to Occupy Torney Site Long Time, Belief



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Clarence Hyde Elected Mayor of Village



THE OFFICIAL FAMILY—Here's the official set-up of the Village for the new term. Back row, left to right, Robert W. Peterson, city treasurer; P. M. Swart, deputy public works official; Councilman Maurice McCann, district 1; Mrs. Louise McCann, city clerk; Councilman Culver Nichols, district 3; Councilman Armand Turonnet, district 5; William E. Alworth, city manager; Roy W. Colegate, city attorney. Seated, left to right, Councilman Charles Farrell, district 4; Councilman E. F. Martell, district 2; Mayor Clarence A. Hyde, district 7; Councilman John Archibald, district 6. (Frank Partridge photo.)

Hillery Files In District School Race

Nominations for the Desert District school board closed Wednesday with two candidates seeking election at the polls on May 19. Last week C. S. Bassett filed nomination papers for the position to be left vacant by the decision of Mrs. Nellie N. Coffman not to seek re-election, and this week W. R. Hillery of Cathedral City and member of the high school board, filed his papers.

Mr. Hillery represents one of after being convinced that such action, if supported by voters at the polls May 19, will lead to closer coordination between the two Palm Springs school boards and thus help unify the local educational program.

Mr. Hillery represents one of the fastest growing sections in the Desert district, and if elected, his backers say, will be able to keep the Cathedral City area in close touch with the district as a whole.

No contest looms in the Palm Springs high school district election, where the term of Dr. Frank A. Purcell expires this year. Dr. Purcell is a candidate for re-election and will be unopposed at the polls.

Forum on Peace To Be Held Thursday

With Dr. E. E. Oertel presiding, an important meeting will be held at Frances S. Stevens school Thursday evening. Mortimer Stewart, foreign correspondent for New York newspapers and radio commentator, will be the speaker.

The meeting will be a part of a nation-wide series of forums on World Peace and is open to the public.

Winners in Impromptu Treasure Hunt Profit Because of an Ill Wind

There was a treasure hunt on Indian avenue late Saturday afternoon. Prizes for the winners approximated \$25, but it was all involuntary.

It all happened about 5:30 p. m. when Ray Schisler of the Palm Springs Motor Parts, 377 North Indian avenue, closed up business for the day and went out to his car with the day's receipts—cash, currency and checks—in a box.

Just as he opened his car door, that sudden gust of wind hit him. It swung the door against his arm and the box containing the money clattered to the pavement.

Instead of landing safely upside down, it hit on its side. The wind caught the checks and currency and scattered the paper for a half block.

First Baby Born at New Hospital

Prospective papas in Palm Springs can stop worrying as to who will have the first baby at the new Community Hospital.

The race has been won; but second and third place honors are still unassigned.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Springfield, 1441 E. Ramon Rd., are the proud parents of a new baby boy, born in a new hospital, April 16. Dr. W. M. Caygill officiated, and the event was clocked at 1:08 a. m. The Springfields already have a 14 year old boy now.

Census Means Cash for City

All told, Palm Springs will benefit to the extent of more than \$13,000 as the result of the recent special census taken here, City Manager William E. Alworth told members of city council, Tuesday.

The one-quarter cent gasoline tax allotment for streets of major importance other than state highways will be upped \$4820 in the current biennium, the in lieu tax, \$3592 and the state allotment for state highways, (Palm Canyon drive) will be upped \$4820.

That brings the total increase for the biennium to \$13,200, Mr. Alworth said.

At the meeting Tuesday, council voted to appropriate \$100 to break down the census figures as to ages and residential areas.

This, the city manager said, will enable the city to intelligently plan parks, recreation areas and serve as a guide to police in traffic check-ups.

Harper Elected Rotarians Name C.C. Official as President

Officers of the Palm Springs Rotary club for the year, July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947 were elected yesterday at the organization session of the new board of directors, held at the Desert Inn.

Those chosen to head the service club were: Harry C. Harper, president; Frank Cutler and Barney Hinkle, vice-presidents; Arthur Bailey, secretary, and Cecil Isenagie, treasurer. Fred Ingram is serving as president of the club this year.

This probability was acclaimed by prominent citizens who have been watching the picture as a splendid "break" for the people of this community, if it occurs.

Last month the Torney General Hospital which includes the old El Mirador Hotel property had been designated for disposal by the Public Building Administration of the Federal Works Agency. At that time the entire property was classified as commercial.

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Flaming Cross Investigated By City Police

J. E. Mulvey, investigator for the state department of justice, and two agents, were in Palm Springs today seeking clues to the identity of persons who attempted to set off a flaming cross in the Village Monday night.

The cross, a crudely fashioned affair, made of 1 x 3 lumber and about five feet high, was found at dawn, Tuesday morning, by Patrolmen Aaron Kuk and Harry Houghton while touring the south end of the city in a squad car.

The boards were covered with burlap, fastened down with bailing wire. The burlap had been soaked in some heavy oil.

The bottom had been set afire but after burning through the flimsy lumber, the cross collapsed of its own weight, quenching the fire.

Police Chief August G. Kettmann and Sgt. Stanley Ehler investigated after the squad car report and then the state department of justice stepped in. Mulvey has been investigating Ku Klux Klan activities in the southland, at Big Bear and other points.

Chief Kettmann said he was undetermined whether it was the work of pranksters or some "cowardly unAmerican" organization. In either case, he said, local police and state officials will make every endeavor to uncover those responsible, he said.

Chest Directors To Be Elected

Members of the Palm Springs Community Chest will meet in the cafeteria of Frances Stevens school, April 24, at 4 p. m., to appoint 12 directors and select the members who will serve on the board of directors.

Members of the various committees will report on their activities for the Chest during the past year. In all probability Ernie Alschuler, vice-president of the organization, will preside, it was reported, due to the absence from the Village of Carl G. Lykken, president.

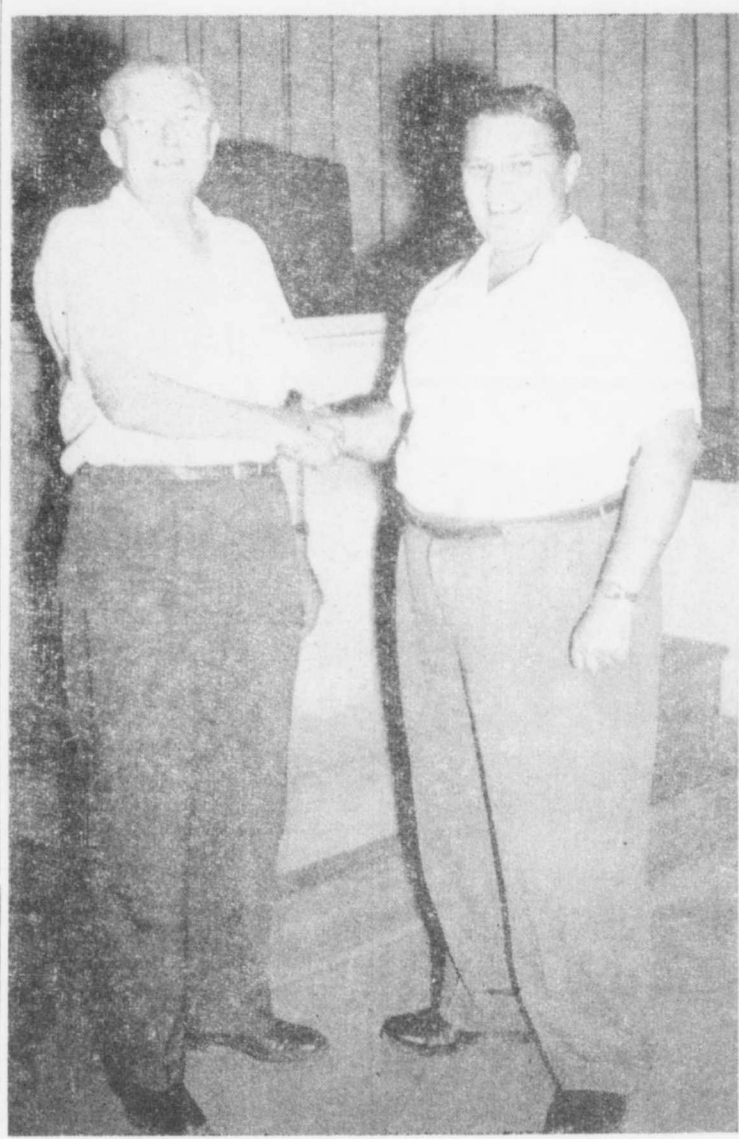
Latest Planes Here April 28

Villagers will get a chance to see approximately 15 of the latest airplane models which the manufacturers hope Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Public will buy for personal transportation, which will be flown here and displayed as a feature of the annual Los Angeles Junior Chamber of Commerce Breakfast Flight Sunday, April 28, members of the organization said here yesterday.

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THEIR HONORS—Clarence A. Hyde, left, new mayor of Palm Springs, receiving congratulations from Judge Eugene E. Therieau, retiring mayor, after his election Tuesday. (Frank Partridge photo.)

Hundreds to Rally on Hillside Sunday for Easter Dawn Service

For some time before the sun starts to rise above the rim of the desert to the east Sunday morning, hundreds of Villagers and visitors here for the occasion, will be making their way to the side of the hill above The Desert Inn grounds for the 29th annual Easter Sunrise Service.

This event, one of the oldest in the state of California, as well as in the United States, has been drawing an ever increasing crowd each year since its inception, April 8, 1917. Despite the restrictions on traveling and the lack of gasoline for automobiles, the services here last year drew more than 2,000 worshippers. This Easter is expected to show a greater crowd than ever present.

TO RELEASE PIGEONS

Even those Villagers who will not have stirred out of their homes at the early hour of 4:45 a. m. when the gates of the Desert Inn open, will hear the fanfare of trumpets through a large public address system, announcing the commencement of services. A dramatic episode of the program will follow, when white homing pigeons will be released, to circle above Palm Springs before setting their course for Phoenix, Los Angeles and intermediate points.

Immediately thereafter with the services in full swing, the voice and its echo, of Dr. John R. Macartney pronouncing the invocation, will fill the air. He will be followed by the blended voices of the giant choir called the "United Singers of Palm Springs"

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Latest Developments In Hospital Situation Said 'Break' for City

Strong indication came this week that the modern and elaborately equipped temporary quarters now occupied by the Community Hospital in Ward "B" on the Torney General Hospital grounds, will be permanent for at least several years. Further, good authority has it, this building may be sold to Palm Springs Community Hospital.

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New Board Takes Over City Reins

Martell, Farrell, Archibald Sworn in By Judge Therieau

Clarence A. Hyde, manager of the Palm Springs Builders Supply company, became Palm Springs' fourth mayor Tuesday night, when he was elected president of city council at that group's organization meeting.

He succeeds Eugene E. Therieau, who declined to be a candidate for re-election. First mayor of the Village was Philip L. Boyd, now assemblyman, second was Frank V. Shannon, who served for several terms, and third was Judge Therieau.

EX-MAYOR OFFICIATES

Election of Mayor Hyde followed a canvass of votes and the swearing in of the new councilmen elected at the April 9 election.

Ex-Mayor Therieau, who last week was appointed city judge and township justice of the peace to succeed the late Judge Guy Pinney, officiated at the ceremonies of installing the new councilmen.

The organization meeting opened with the reading of a resolution certifying the canvass of votes cast in the April 9 election by City Clerk Louise McCann.

BECOMES OFFICER

The election of E. F. (Ted) Martell, Charles Farrell and John Archibald was then made official by adoption of the resolution. Councilman Maurice McCann then moved that Clarence Hyde be made temporary chairman of the council while Judge Therieau, retiring mayor, administered the oath to the new councilmen. The motion carried.

Mr. Martell, representing district 2, re-elected, was first sworn in, then Charles Farrell of district 4 and then John Archibald of district 6.

On motion of Councilman Culver Nichols, a vote of thanks and (Please Turn to Page Four)

Saves His Cash

Fleet-Footed Hotel Guest Catches Thief

Something awakened T. R. Metz, guest at a local hotel, at 3:25 a. m. yesterday.

He soon discovered what that "something" was. It was a man in the act of making off with his wallet.

Metz gave chase and caught the burglar across the street. He regained his cash but the thief got away. Because of the darkness, Metz was able to give only a vague description of the man.

Palm Springs Calendar

SUNDAY, April 21st:
Sunrise Easter Services, back of Desert Inn, 5:14 a. m.

MONDAY, April 22nd:
Lions Club Board of Directors, Chamber of Commerce office, 7:30 p. m.

Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post No. 5987 and Auxiliary at Rogers Ranch, 8:00 p. m.
Civil Air Patrol, High School Auditorium, 8:00-10:00 p. m.

TUESDAY, April 23rd:
Chamber of Commerce Executive Committee, Desert Inn, 12:00 Noon.
Palm Springs Round Table, home of Mrs. E. N. Jordan, 928 Avenida de los Palmas, 7:30 p. m.

National Aeronautic Ass'n, La Cita, 7:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, April 24th:
Rotary Club, Desert Inn, 12:15 p. m.
Palm Springs Chapter DeMolays, High School Auditorium, 7:30 p. m.

THURSDAY, April 25th:
Lions Club, Desert Inn, 12:10 p. m.

SATURDAY, April 27th:
Lips, 12:00 Noon.
Western Day Luncheon, Desert Inn, Honoring Congressman John Phil-

Southern Pacific Trains East Will Make Speedy Time

Dwayne Bardwell, local passenger agent for the Southern Pacific was all enthusiasm this week over the new schedules being prepared by the company affecting all lines and divisions.

One of the biggest items in the new program, which will be inaugurated June 2, in through Pullman service from Los Angeles to New York.

Passengers for the east coast, boarding the Golden State Limited at the Palm Springs station will be able to reserve space on coast to coast Pullmans without the necessary change at Chicago as at present. The Golden State Limited will also operate on a 48-hour 15 minute schedule between Los Angeles and Chicago, a sharp reduction in running time. It will carry light-weight coaches, light-weight sleeping cars with coffee shops, dining car and lounge service. The Californian to Chicago will resume its pre-war economy service carrying coaches and tourist sleepers.

The Sunset Limited to New Orleans will also sharply reduce its running time with improved coaches and sleepers, while the

Miss Kingsbury Honored by City Hall Staff Group

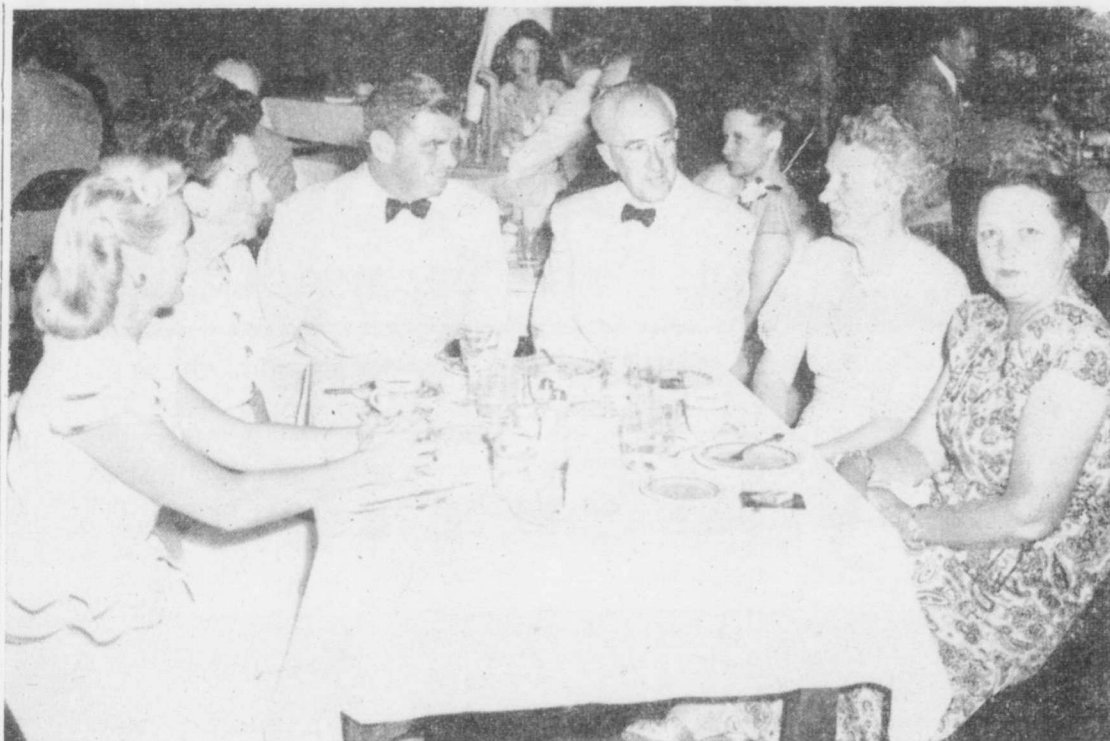
Miss Marylou Kingsbury, whose marriage to Joseph C. Stuart will take place Easter Sunday at 3:00 o'clock, at the Community church, was honored last Friday evening by the women of the City Offices, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hennes, 185 Mesquite Road, by an evening of music, fortune telling and the opening of interesting packages for Miss Kingsbury, accompanied by original and amusing poems.

Of special interest was a gift sent by the men of the maintenance department of the city—a beautiful rose Kenwood blanket. Lovely bowls of roses from the hostess's garden decorated the home.

Argonaut will also make quicker time with coach, tourist and standard sleepers as at present.

The Golden State Limited and Sunset Limited will be operated on a no extra fare basis.

This week, important changes went into effect on routes north of Los Angeles with the famous noon daylight being resumed and time cut on all trains between Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland.



AT BIG BALL—Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McManus, former owner-managers of the Palm Springs Tennis Club, thrilled to the spectacle that was the Snow White Ball, held at that club last Saturday night. From left to right they are Mrs. Lee Bering, Mrs. A. G. McManus, Lee Bering, the new manager; Mr. A. G. McManus, Mrs. Hortense Murray, winter resident, and Mrs. A. Walz of Chicago. (Bernard of Hollywood photo.)

First Annual Snow White Ball at Palm Springs Tennis Club Delights Capacity Throng With Music, Show

Destined to become one of the most colorful social events of the winter season in Palm Springs was the first annual Snow White Ball held at the Palm Springs Tennis Club Saturday night.

Lee Bering, manager of the swanky Tennis Club, spared no expense in making this first event a huge success with one of the most elaborate shows yet seen in the Village. Ted Fio Rito and his 18-piece band furnished the dance music, and Rudy Vallee, including several high class vaudeville teams, kept the capacity crowd in attendance greatly amused.

TAX CAPACITY

Two of the hard tennis courts and part of the lawn were needed to take care of club members and their friends. Dinner of charcoal broiled steaks was the main piece-de-resistance.

All of Palm Springs upper social strata were present for the affair. Dress for the evening was white clothes. However, a slightly cold wind coming through the Pass to the north prompted many present to dress otherwise.

According to Lee Bering, more than 300 people were present, and next year, with the enlargement of the club now in progress, will insure an even greater attendance. Bering said that many requests for reservation were turned down in order not to crowd the dance floor and to enable the waiters to serve more promptly.

MORE THAN PLANNED

Mr. and Mrs. Austin G. McManus, former owners of the Palm Springs Tennis Club, were present, and acted more than pleased with the glamorous affair.

Between the dance numbers as furnished by Fio Rito's musicians, Rudy Vallee acted as master of ceremonies to announce the various artists who performed. Rudy himself took the mike and had the throng enthralled with his songs and monologues set to music.

During his famous number called "Mad Dogs and Englishmen" dancing couples forgot to dance and crowded around the versatile Rudy Vallee.

Cyril Smith, recording artist, rendered some of his famous numbers. Wilbur Hall and his wife performed in a musical clown act. Ray Parker, ventriloquist, had the crowd mystified with the actions of his dummy, who obeyed the orders of his master with a distance of more than 30 feet existing between them.

"Next year," announced Bering, "the 'Snow White Ball' will be greater and better than ever."

It seems to me

MAN can call
HIS destiny
JUST so long—
THEN here in Palm Springs
OLD man Sol steps in
AND tells you
IT'S time to shed
THE long underwear
AND get cool
IN comfortable
RELAXIN' clothes
BY Fulton's.
AND those we have plenty
of—
AND so what to do
ABOUT the suits—
COATS and such ???
WELL folks—
HERE'S your chance to
GUILD the lily
FOR FREE—almost.
MOST, if not all of you
WILL not stay here
FOR the summer
SO here is your chance
TO take back home
THAT Palm Springs outfit
FOR nothing—almost—
FOR men we offer—
Custom tailored slacks
COATS and shirts
AND walking shorts
AT ridiculously
LOW prices which you
CAN'T afford
TO pass up.
FOR the ladies
GOD bless 'em—
SUITS and toppers
AND such—
AND short coats—
AND a few play suits
TO sweeten things up
SO that both—
HER and him
WILL be
FULTON'S bedecked
FOR the Easter Parade

Fulton's Shops
WOMEN AND MEN
In Hotel The Oasis

Mrs. Lichti Gains After Operation

Mrs. Margaret Lichti, will known Villager, underwent a major operation at Hollywood hospital last Saturday morning. Reports today were that she is progressing on the road to health in a satisfactory manner.

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35 Attend Chest Clinic at Health Center on Tuesday

Dr. Frank Porter Miller, of the county health staff, conducted a chest clinic at the Health Center, East Amado road, Tuesday, with more than 35 pictures being taken. He will return to the Village some time in May to report on his findings.

Next Tuesday the monthly child welfare clinic will be held with Dr. Mildred Van Cleve in charge. Mothers are urged to register their children in advance for the clinic.

Mrs. Margaret Lichti, well known health nurse, said today that it was probable that these clinics would be held monthly with the exception of July and August.

Scout Council Meets April 24

An important meeting of the Palm Springs district scout committee will be held Wednesday, April 24, at 7:30 p.m., at the Chamber of Commerce building.

A nominating committee for selection of next year's district committee will be appointed. Plans for a camporee, Court of

Mrs. Lockett Hostess at Tea To Many Friends

Mrs. Donald Lockett entertained a group of friends at her home, 811 Mission road, Tuesday afternoon at a tea.

The invited guests were the Mesdames John Hormel, Ralph Clock, Frank Cutler, Gordon Nicholson, Merrill Crockett, Faye Brainard, John Sprague, Cecil Isenagel, Francis Crockett, A. V. Linkletter, Bradstreet Miller, John Robertson Macartney, Chas. Henderson, Frank Camp, Jack Williams, John Langtry, William A. Lippman, M. A. Schlosser, N. F. Jones, Horace Pendery, Henry Lockwood, Homer Jenkins, Harrison Leussler, R. Shelley, George Mannington, and Wilber Downs.

Sallie, daughter of the Locketts, was home for the weekend from Claremont, where she is attending Pomona College, to celebrate her birthday.

She brought with her as houseguest, her room-mate, Miss Margaret Loveall, of San Luis Obispo.

Honor, on May 14, and summer camp plans will be formulated at this meeting.

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Glass Ash Trays	.15	Curtain Rods	.20 to .50
Candlestick Holders	.20	5-Gal. Gasoline Cans	1.20
Minute Mops	1.59	Fly Swatters	.10



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VIERNES SANTO Misa de los Presantificados 8:00 A. M. Tres horas de devocion (Las Siete Palabras) 12:00 Medio dia hasta las 3:00 P. M. Por el Rev. John J. Laherty S. J.

SABADO DE GLORIA Las Bendiciones daran Principio a las 7:00 de la manana. Terminando con una Misa y la Santa Comunión.

DOMINGO DE RESURRECCION Misa a las 6:00, 7:30, 9:00 y 10:30 de la manana. La ultima Misa terminara con Bedicion del Santisimo.

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Easter Vacation On Desert Bringing Many to Village

Easter vacation in the desert long has been a favorite for coast city residents, and many families who made reservations back in November have arrived at La Paz to spend their spring holiday. A smart group of Marlborough school girls are taking their sunshine about the turquoise pool or the tennis court this week. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Banning Jr., with their daughter, Katherine, and a friend, Alan Farwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Farwell, spent a pre-Easter time at La Paz.

Joining the girls about the pool each day were their school friends from Los Angeles, Meredith Chaffin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Chaffin; Linda Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lee; Maurice Haight, daughter of the Raymond Hights; Cynthia Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark; Polly Mosley, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Corliss Mosley; Diane Pelton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Pelton; Martha Ann Chapple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Chapple; and Daryl Zauk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Zauk.

PLAN EGG HUNT

Easter Sunday morning the young children at the ranch will join in an Easter Egg Hunt about the grounds of La Paz.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beaumont with their two attractive daughters, Jere and Mrs. Walter Duffy, and their friends, Mrs. P. J. McGarry and Mary Mair, all of Beverly Hills, are enjoying a ten day vacation of riding, swimming and tennis with the gay young crowd about the ranch this week.

Moonlight rides over the desert trails have been popular evening entertainment for equestrians. One recent evening a group including Katherine Banning, Alyce de Roulet, Barbara Parson, Dick Gerston, Diana Fareed and Peter Hartman set out with Chris, the cowboy guide, for an evening ride and supper on the desert.

Two of the most popular dancers at the bi-monthly Western dance are Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth S. Hayes, who motor up from their Indio date farm for many of the parties. Last Sunday evening they entertained as their guests at a buffet supper and dance, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Berry, of San Francisco; Mrs. David Bushnell and Mrs. Mabel Rockwell, who were houseguests of the Hayes last week. Mrs. Rockwell, an outstanding aeronautical engineer and graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has been written up recently in American magazine and in Mademoiselle. She now is associated with Cal-Aero school.

REVEL IN SUNSHINE

Others reveling in the sunshine this week at La Paz include Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bachelder and their son, Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Biddle, and Dr. and Mrs. George Mann, who are occupying the pent-house suite through Easter week.

One group playing an exhibition tennis match and later joining other guests at the ranch for luncheon, served outdoors under bright umbrellas by the swimming pool, included Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Olds, of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Berlin, who left this week for their home in Glenview, Ill.; Maj. Charles L. Tisot, who recently was separated from the army after serving several years overseas in the air corps and now is enroute to New York where he has a glass factory; Frank Tuttle, noted motion picture director, and Dick Felker, recently released from the Naval Hospital at Long Beach.

The force of one's being, if it has any force, must come from within.—R. W. Clark.

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L. A. Boy Scouts Guests at Local Stables for Week

Ten Los Angeles Boy Scout leaders, representing ten districts in that city, were guests of Wally Waring at the Rancho Stables this past week, and all reported that they "just had the swellest time."

While here they were quartered in a large room at the Rancho Stables prepared for them by their host. They rode horseback, went swimming in private pools, enjoyed a barbecue in Andreas canyon and attended theater parties. They also formed a social and athletic club to be called "Athlos."

For the good time they had in Palm Springs they particularly wanted to thank The Desert Inn, The Del Tahquitz and the Palm Springs Hotel for the use of their swimming pools. They also felt gratefully indebted to Frank Partridge, manager of the Boys' Club here; Wally Waring, and Chief of Police August Kettman, for arranging the good time they had.

The group consisted of Bob Levi, Mel Levinthal, Cliff Duboff, Jack Delivie, Gary Finkelberg, Don Denbo, Al Lowey, Larry Lieberman, Dan Kaplan, and Wayne Goldman. Sol Delivie, Jr., father of Jack, acted as sponsor of the trip to Palm Springs.

Palm Village

The Sunday morning tennis match between Burr Tupper and Bud Godfrey versus Col. Cliff Henderson and Col. Rust may not have been in the same class with the Tennis Club, but it was quite a battle nonetheless. The colonels finally won.

Small fry, big fry and middle sized fry are really having a time in the swimming pool. The pool looks lovely now — oleanders in bloom, palo verde with its yellow blossoms and a background of bouganvillea.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Godfrey, Jr. accompanied by their daughters, Susan and Carol, spent the week-end in the Village. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Williams and their daughters, Manette and Dorothy, are spending a few days in the Village during spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Hendra and Mary Jane will arrive Thursday for the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Church, Mr. Clancy and Mr. Drew, all of Rancho

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Mirage, formed a dinner party at the Palm Village Inn one night this week.

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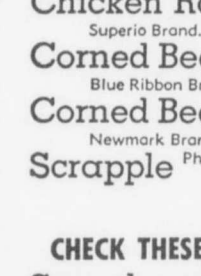
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Earl Warren-for-Governor Day

By ETHEL GILLET WHITEHORN

The primary election is scheduled for Tuesday, June 4. On that day numerous candidates will be eliminated and the voters will have a definite slate to consider for the final run-off in November.

In the case of the Governorship, the situation is so clearly definite that the voters should, without difficulty, make a final decision on June 4. If they are determined that California shall maintain its high constitutional standards they will re-elect Governor Warren whose devotion to all our people, regardless of party, is recorded in his past acts and deeds. If they show a willingness to gamble with California's great future as a free and independent state, they will vote for Robert Kenny, the C. I. O. Political Action Committee candidate.

HOW SIMPLE IT IS

Could any decision be more simple to make?

The people of California will never permit Sidney Hillman's alien-minded Political Action Committee to lead them down the road to Socialism. Republicans and Jeffersonian Democrats know that the safety of California lies in the election of Governor Warren. They are aware of the dangers that lie ahead should the administration of this State fall into the hands of the Hillman crowd.

As a rule, a Primary election

doesn't bring out the voters in full force. This situation can be overcome if Tuesday, June 4, is designated "Earl - Warren - For-Governor Day". Let us, the voters of California, achieve what has never been done before—the election of a Governor in the primaries.

THREE PURPOSES

Such an election serves three purposes. First, the voters are extending a friendly tribute to Governor Warren whose record during the years of a ghastly war has not been surpassed by any Governor in any State. Second, the voters of California are declaring, and wasting no time in doing so, that they definitely denounce and repudiate those who would plant the seeds of alien philosophies within our borders. Third, the voters, in re-electing the Governor on "Earl - Warren - For - Governor Day" are giving him an opportunity to proceed freely with vastly important reconversion plans. Our vote of confidence on June 4 will eliminate the strain of a long, drawn out political campaign and give to Governor Warren the green light to go ahead.

The People, represented by Earl Warren, vs. Sidney Hillman's Political Action Committee, represented by Robert Kenny!

California voters can and should win the case for Governor Warren on June 4, 1946.

Goofy Drivers Sane for a Day

Enough Motorcops Here Monday To Take Care of the Local Situation Completely

Palm Springs was "invaded" Monday afternoon by members of the Los Angeles police department, who came roaring into the Village on twenty-five spankingly brand new Indian motorcycles.

Skittering up and down Palm Canyon drive, Villagers and especially Los Angelenos "treated" lightly in observance of traffic regulations.

One Angeleno, watching the parade of uniformed motorcycle cops riding up and down Palm Canyon Drive, while sipping coffee in a restaurant, sputtered, coughed and spewed the liquid all over himself. He was heard to remark: "Holy Gee! Bet they're after me for failing to show up on that traffic citation."

Actually, the traffic officers were "breaking in" their new bikes for city service in Los Angeles. Led here by Lieutenant of Police Chester E. Wolftrum, who said the motors of their two-wheeled vehicles have to have 500 miles on their speedometers before being placed in active service.

"What are you officers doing so far from Los Angeles?" asked an inquisitive citizen of the Lieutenant.

"Are we outside the city limits of Los Angeles?" Wolftrum asked in turn.

This reply seemed to baffle and confuse the Villager and before he could make a hot rejoinder, the traffic officer laughingly rode away.

Lt. Col. McGarrigle Now in Command at Army Air Base

Lt. Colonel Charles A. McGarrigle is the new commanding officer of the 560th Army Air Forces Unit at the local Army Air Base. He succeeded Lt. Col. Rex Beach, who was transferred to Yale University where he will attend an Asiatic-Pacific post hostilities course.

Lt. Col. McGarrigle came here from Long Beach where he attended an Air Transport Command officers' staff school. Overseas he served in the Asiatic-Pacific theater as commanding officer of the 1304 Army Air Forces, Base Unit of the ATC, located at Barrackpore, India. This tour of duty lasted from July, 1944, to December, 1945. Before he was assigned to foreign duty he served at Long Beach and Great Falls, Montana.

The commanding officer is a native Californian. He was born in San Francisco in 1918, attended school at the University of San Francisco, and enlisted in the Army in 1938. He graduated from flying school in 1941.

The Colonel expects to bring his wife and daughter here from Long Beach.

Simplicity of manner is the last attainment. Men are very long afraid of being natural, from the dread of being taken for ordinary.

SPOTS

Before Your Eyes
By BILL RASHALL

The season holds on in full sway. Every hotel is crowded to capacity. Spots about the Village report a thriving dinner business. The weather by contrast with coastal communities finds Old Sol in all his splendor on the desert. At Los Angeles and all the way to San Diego it has been misty and cloudy.

The biggest crowd in town late Thursday night was found at the Palm Springs Hotel, where Joe Porretta and his society dance band have been holding sway. Roy Randolph Mc-ing his "Champagne Hour" there, kept the dinner-dancers highly interested. Ed White, newly elected president of Western Frozen Foods, sojourning at the hotel with his wife and daughter, won the bottle of champagne for his waltzing with Miss June Bullock. She received the highly prized and scarce pair of nylon hose. Sally Nagel, in charge of Roy Randolph's ballroom dancing classes, leaves today for New York City. Pat Magill, with whom she works the "Champagne Hour", will continue until June 1.

At the Dunes this past week after a long silence was Benny Rubin, wife and child. Also there were Raymond Hatton, Eddie Cantor, Mrs. Tyrone (Anabelle) Powers, with mother and daughter, Pixie. Bill Davis rushed from the Legion meeting at the Three Musketeers last Tuesday to meet his wife there. She had been visiting with Connie.

John Payne and his wife, Gloria DeHaven, were dining at the Chi Chi. The last time I saw them they were only two—now there are three.

Virginia "Miss Maitre d'" at the Chi Chi, reports many of this Spot's diners are bringing their children with them. They don't have to go to bed early these nights in order to be fresh for school in the morning. Easter vacation, you know. She also added that the town must be full of college students, too. And is Virginia lovely? Ask me?

Despite the heat, the crowded counter and the hustle bustle of feeding them during the lunch hour, how does that Bill Ude have time for repartee. He's good for a laugh any time, dished up spontaneously with that 30c plate lunch. Yes, thirty cents, and right here in Palm Springs, too. Bill Alworth, city manager, is a steady customer there. Frugal guy.

Happy Easter, and hope you are all here for next year's Easter, too.

To be always thinking about your manners is not the way to make them good; the very perfection of manners is not to think about yourself.—Whately.

MORE ABOUT . . .

Hospital Status . . .

Buildings Administration spent several days in Palm Springs inspecting the Torney property. This was being done, preparatory to its appraisal and description as a basis upon which bids for the final disposal of the property will be received. It was reported that this preliminary work will probably require about 30 days, after which bids will be advertised for a period of 90 days, when the various offers received will be evaluated and the recommendations of the Public Buildings Administration considered for final disposition of the property by the War Assets Administration in Washington.

Along with the presence of these two federal agency men in the city, it also became known that a nationally famous hotel corporation had become vitally interested in the old El Mirador building and the surrounding grounds. It is the belief of many in Palm Springs that these hotel operators will bid sharply for that property.

MAY RECLASSIFY

Meanwhile, the city of Palm Springs, through City Manager William E. Alworth, is leaving no stone unturned in forestalling the parcelling of the acreage and buildings that stand on Torney grounds. As the Desert Sun goes to press, Alworth was momentarily awaiting the arrival of an agent from Washington to discuss the reclassification of Torney General.

"We were notified," declared Alworth, "that a representative of the War Assets Administration from Washington, D.C. would be in the city to make a thorough investigation of the city's protest against the original 'commercial' classification."

ACTION HELD UP

Alworth went on to say that the Federal Works Agency had been instructed to take no action leading to the disposal of Torney Hospital until the matter of classification had been reviewed.

However, it certainly looks from all appearances, that the city will not have to worry about the re-classification of the property now occupied by the Community Hospital. Steps were under way during the latter part of the week to enlarge the personnel and medical staff of the hospital on a permanent basis.

Alworth, however, feels that it would be extremely difficult for the city to prevent the use of the buildings now standing on Torney Hospital grounds for commercial use despite zoning ordinances to the contrary unless the city possessed the grounds and building.

WILL CONTINUE PLANS

"And," he added, "the city will vigorously pursue its original plan of obtaining all of the Torney General Hospital grounds for use by the city and other civic and non-profit organizations now operating here."

Miss Katherine Finchey, superintendent of the Desert School District, may also profit from the untiring efforts of a prominent Palm Springs citizen to obtain from the government additional space for crowded Frances

FOR SCHOOL USE

Accordingly it was learned on the best of authority, that twenty acres of the Torney General Hospital grounds either may be given or sold to the school district for use in connection with the Frances Stevens school.

With reference to the hospital, at the monthly meeting of its directors held Tuesday, and presided over by Judge Eugene E. Theriault, a complete report of the operation of the hospital for the past few weeks was reviewed. Among other things it was learned that in the absence of a resident director, the administration of the hospital has been conducted by Ken Kirk, Valentine Blatz, Charles Burket, and Ernest Alschuler. Howard Jay, a recent arrival in Palm Springs, retired after 14 years as director of the Los Amigos Hospital, near Compton, was lending his experience toward the operation of the hospital. A vote of thanks was given to Jay for his unselfish assistance in helping in the affairs of the hospital. He is here as the result of his wife's health, and is understood to be seeking a permanent home here.

GIVEN BOARD THANKS

When Edward Bacon, director, got up to make his report, his announcement that he entertained great hope that Ward "B" would be continued as permanent quarters of the Community Hospital, the board voted unanimously that everything be done to enable the building up of a permanent staff and personnel.

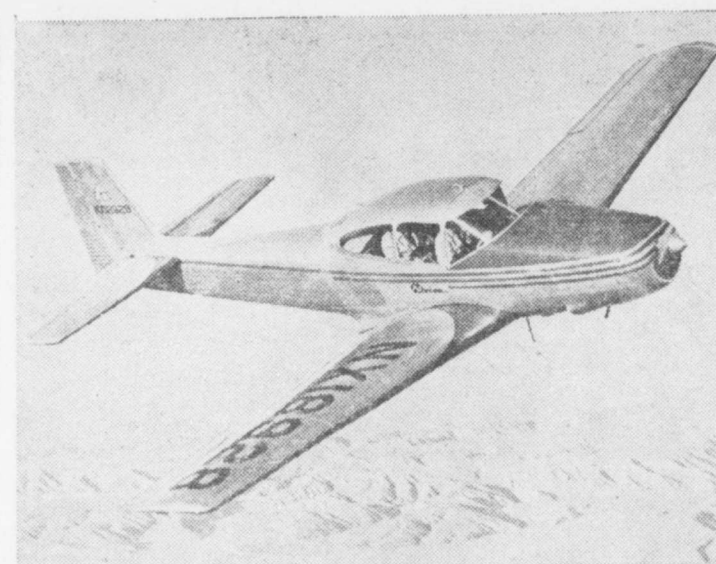
It is known by past experience with statements by Edward Bacon in which he "hopes" for something, he must have had pretty good assurances from reliable quarters on which to base his statement.

GOOD PROGRESS

Meanwhile the operation of the hospital is reported doing nicely. Since it opened about four weeks ago, at least 50 patients have been hospitalized there and as of Thursday afternoon, there were ten Palm Springs citizens occupying beds there.

Tuesday night the first baby was born at the Community Hospital. A boy, weighing 10 pounds 10 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Springfield, 1441 E. Ramon road. Dr. W. M. Caygill was in attendance.

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NAVION UNVEILED—First major West Coast aircraft manufacturer to enter the personal airplane field, North American Aviation, Inc., has announced development of the versatile Navion, an all-metal, four-passenger airplane with a 185 horsepower Continental engine.

MORE ABOUT . . .

Latest Planes . . .

Officials, headed by Dr. Louis Jacques of the aviation committee, conferred with Ted Reed, chairman of the aviation committee of the chamber of commerce, and Harry Harper, manager. Most of the final details for the flight, in which nearly 200 private airplane are expected to participate, were worked out at the meeting here.

PROBLEM SOLVED

One of the biggest problems in connection with the flight—the matter of how to prepare breakfast for more than 400 persons—was solved through the cooperation of Lieut.-Col. C. A. McGarrigle, new commanding officer of the Palm Springs army air base. He will make available to the Breakfast Flight the officers' mess at the air base, the equipment to be used by some caterer to be obtained by the two sponsoring organizations. Previously it had been feared the visitors would have to be turned loose on their own to hunt out their breakfasts in downtown Palm Springs.

Due to the great number of visitors expected on the field, Col. McGarrigle has asked the chamber of commerce to provide windshield stickers for persons authorized to go on the post with their automobiles while the breakfast flighters are here. These stickers will be available at the chamber of commerce office early next week.

NAA CHAPTER AIDS

Numerous problems in connection with the flight such as handling of traffic on the post, providing of transportation to and from downtown Palm Springs, giving of general information and similar tasks will be capably handled by volunteers from the Palm Springs chapter of the National Aeronautical Association, which is working closely with Chairman Reed of the aviation committee of the Chamber. The organization is expected to make its arrangements at a meeting next Thursday night.

The Civil Air Patrol unit of Los Angeles expects to send about 25 members to arrange for the placing of planes on the hardstand areas in the southerly section of the Air Base.

Officers' Hunch Lands Suspect in Clutches of Law

Motorcycle Officer Robert Phillips has more than an average curiosity in his make-up and where human foibles are concerned, he can separate the grain from the chaff, but where there's too much chaff he grows even more curious.

Take the case of Charles J. McGreevey, 36, plenty tough and plenty big, who had been working as a caddie here for about two months. Now caddyding, according to Officer Phillips, is just another way to earn one's crust of bread and even angel food cake, by the sweat of one's brow.

However, when, as a caddie, he started roaming the streets in the wee small hours of the morning, and did other little things, which aroused the curiosity of Phillips, McGreevey made a bad mistake as far as his ultimate freedom from the law is concerned.

Playing a hunch, Phillips said, he teletyped for information, if any, annett McGreevey's past. Back came a reply. Yes, McGreevey was wanted in several California cities to explain away accusations ranging from petty theft to grand larceny.

Monday, officers arrived from Bakersfield with a warrant charging the accused with the alleged theft of an automobile. Several years ago, according to the teletype, McGreevey served a 90-day jail sentence in the Riverside county jail for defrauding an innkeeper here in Palm Springs.

Elmer Tauton assisted Phillips in arresting McGreevey Sunday, on the golf course.

Mrs. Whitehorn To Address DAR Session

Mrs. James Whitehorn, prominent in state Republican circles, will address a session of the California Daughters of the American Revolution when they meet in convention at Riverside next week.

Her topic will be, "Our Country Tomorrow" and her talk will be at the Mission Inn next Wednesday.

MORE ABOUT . . .

New Council . . .

praise for their untiring efforts on behalf of the city was voted Judge Theriault and Walter Z. Allen, retiring councilmen who had declined to run for re-election.

ONLY ONE CANDIDATE

First business of the new council was the election of a president who automatically becomes mayor of Palm Springs. Only one name was placed in nomination, that of Councilman Hyde of the 7th district. He was nominated by Councilman McCann and his election was by acclamation.

Adjournment of council was then taken until April 24.

Congressman Will Be Honored Here At Luncheon Event

Congressman John Phillips, at home for a brief Easter vacation, will be honored at a luncheon at the Desert Inn Saturday, April 27, according to plans made today by the Chamber of Commerce.

The luncheon will be open to the public but reservations must be made at the Chamber of Commerce office by Thursday, April 26, as attendance will be limited to 70 persons by the seating capacity of the luncheon room at the Inn.

Representatives of several committees of the Chamber of Commerce having matters to discuss with Mr. Phillips, and city officials will attend the session to take up several subjects with him. It is planned to have an open portion of the meeting for general discussion.

It is planned to have the congressman report on the legislative outlook in Washington, particularly as the measure affect Riverside county and Southern California.

He will arrive in Southern California on April 24, and leave on the return trip a week later, according to his present plans. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 26, 27 and 28 will be spent at Banning, this schedule making possible his visit here at noon Saturday.

Directors Chosen At Annual Session Of Desert Museum

At the annual meeting of members of the Palm Springs Desert Museum last week, fifteen members were elected to the board of directors for the Museum. Earl Coffman acted as chairman of the meeting. The board consisting of Ernest Alschuler, Mrs. H. W. Armstrong, Edward R. Bacon, Frank Bogart, Earl Coffman, Dr. Wm. B. Colburn, Gordon Feekings, H. Earl Hoover, W. H. Kidston, Edwin F. Leigh, Miss Christina Lillian, Stanley Rosin, Mrs. George True, Mrs. Steve L. Vidosics and Mrs. O. M. Ward, will meet for election of officers and other business April 25.

A memorial Service, in charge of Professor T. A. D. Cockerell, was held for Miss Madeleine R. Cook, one of the founders of the Museum.

Dr. Raymond B. Cowles, U. C.

L. A., of the Museum advisory board, gave a stimulating and inspiring address on "The Place of the Museum in the Community". He stressed the limitless possibilities of the institution in this locality, and especially pointed out the value of research and the service the Museum renders in recreation.

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No Protest on License Pleas

Notification from the state board of equalization of two liquor license applications filed from Palm Springs was filed without protest by city council Tuesday.

One was from Harry Brott of the Desert Drug company, 246 North Palm Canyon Drive, to transfer the current off-sale license from himself and Jack Laseley to himself.

The other was from Donald M. Artz to transfer the on-sale general license at the Pago-Pago, 319 North Palm Canyon drive, to himself from Edward T. Brandhorst.

Phone 4444 for Yellow Cabs.

REED'S READER

If I was to say that I'm doubting for the Easter rabbit this week, someone would be sure to crack that I have the ears for it. So-o-o, I'll just suggest that you whip in and get a Gildersleeve album for your moppet's Easter gift. The Great One tells the stories of Jack and the Beanstalk, Puss in Boots, and Rumpelstiltskin (and you could maybe listen too, if you were to ask your young 'un nicely).

And now to the more than slightly terrific dept.: Lynn says that J. Dorsey's back 'n she has him. "Perdido," "JD Jumps," "JD's Boogie Woogie," and "Lover" are all platters par excellence. (And if you don't like JD's Boogie, side in, knock three times, and ask for Mory 'n I'll slip you a copy of TD's platter of the same name.)

Freddie Martin is front and center again with "Bumble Boogie" for the cats—and an inimitable version of the Rachmaninoff second piano concerto for his squarer fans.

If you're being a porch sitter these fine full-moonlit nights, you could be more than slightly terrific yourself with the aid of Paul Weston's "Music for Dreaming" album or Al Sack's likewise of "Velvet Moods." Both of these mood (or moon) setters are to be found at hmmm-m—oh, yes, I remember—Reed's Radio Shop.

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Portrait of the Week

By BERNARD of Hollywood



Joy Rose... this week's Portrait... who is really a very sweet little girl and we are sure she has no intention to frighten anyone. Joy's parents live in El Monte but come to Palm Springs frequently, much to their daughter's delight... the reason being that there is nothing she likes better than to dress up in her cowboy clothes and show those natives a thing or two about how a real cowgirl looks. We asked Joy her ambitions when she grows up... She had many ideas, but finally decided that she would be an actress... that is... if the call of the ranges doesn't lure her first.

Doing the Village

with Moya Henderson

There has been quite an influx of new faces, most of them young, in town this week—Easter vacation, of course. Takes us back a few years when Balboa was the mecca of the high school and college crowd and Easter week-at the beach was the highlight of the year's activities.

Not all the visitors in town are teen-agers, however. Geri Hayes is down for the week and staying at Harlow Haven. Mrs. William Lippman's house guest is her daughter, Mrs. Conrad Bryant, who, with her two young daughters, Beverly and Cheryl, is down from North Hollywood for the holidays. Mrs. John Ables of Cathedral City is busy entertaining Mrs. Harry Lindeman of Spartanburg, North Carolina. Monday they headed for La Jolla and got as far as Palm Springs. The car broke down, so for the remainder of the afternoon, while repairs were going on, they took in the flower show at the Woman's club. Hortense Murry's guest, Mrs. E. C. Wells of Chicago, took off via Western Air Lines, for Los Angeles. While visiting in the Village a full and entertaining program kept her busy.

Andreas Lodge will have a new master for the remainder of the season. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Martin, who operate the court, have left for Denver and Colonel and Mrs. Frederick Sperry will take over on Monday. Col. Sperry is Mrs. Martin's son. Speaking of courts, it's old news that the Ben Darnell's purchased Sequoia, but it's good news that the Darnells have returned to Palm Springs.

The Los Compadres had an unexpected treat at their monthly moonlight supper ride last Monday evening. Bill Ortmann blew out the candles on a gorgeous angel food cake in honor of Western Air Lines' twentieth birthday. On every table reposed a similar cake. All in all, Cooks Mary Delano, Ruth Roberson and Dottie Gorham outdid themselves. Wonder if Phil Delano will be permanently bow-legged by the end of May. He's planning on taking in three pack trips around the first of that month—one right after another with only three days rest in between each—the Vaqueros, Los Compadres, and the Riverside de Anza Ride from Mexican border to Riverside.

As a fitting and very lovely

climax to a week of tremendous tennis, the Tennis Ball was held at the Palm Springs Tennis Club last Saturday night. Around three hundred guests gathered on the courts for dinner and dancing to the music of Ted Fio Rito, and entertainment provided for by Rudy Valle.

Little Mike Sprinkle is expecting quite an Easter this year. Mary Jane, his mother, will arrive home this week-end with his new little brother, Pat. The Easter bunny wasn't quite so generous to little Bridget Thompson, who came down to spend the week with her mother at grandmother Dottie Stein's. She ended up in bed with the mumps.

Palm Springs has a reputation for doing things in the grand manner and our shows such as the Circus are known nationally. Once again national attention will be drawn to Palm Springs when Holy Week and Easter services will be broadcast over the local and nation-wide networks. Friday night a musical devotional program will be broadcast from Our Lady of Solitude church. The choir is under the direction of Mrs. August Kettmann. Sunday morning the Sunrise Service, held every year on The Desert Inn hillside by the Community church, will go on the air. Alex Hammond, well known to Villagers, will be the soloist and Holly Lash Visel will direct the choir. Palm Springs may well be proud of her strong religious spirit in spite of the fact that we are a resort.

Letters to the Editor

Editor, The Desert Sun: There are several reasons why I have filed for election to the Desert School District board of trustees. Mrs. Nellie Coffman, who has given of her time and talents for many years, is not a candidate for re-election. I would not be taking her place, only completing the required number of board members.

The Desert School district and the Palm Springs Union High School district are studying plans for greater co-ordination of the school system in this desert area. Harmony in working out these plans will result in greater benefit to the student and will assuredly result in a substantial saving to the taxpayers.

Both boards are encouraging this closer co-operation, and to harmonize their efforts it is believed that at least one member of one board should also be on the other.

The voters have placed me on the High School board and if they want me on the Desert School District board I shall be elected on May 17. To allow for additional time for school problems I am withdrawing from some activities and have tendered my resignation to the county clerk as his duty for registration.

WILLARD R. (Bill) HILLERY.

What Goes On in Rancho Mirage

Here we are around Easter again. Whatever happened to Washington's Birthday, New Years and Christmas? The time since Thanksgiving seems to have been a blur, but what a busy blur. It has been one of the busiest and most exciting periods in my life; working fourteen or more hours a day. Talk about six lessons from Madam La Zonga, where you learn the rhumba and new la conga; that has nothing on our short course in sub-dividing in 69 easy lessons. This office has been a mad house, and our house even worse. We expect to look up any time and see the track layers laying a spur line of the Southern Pacific through the living room. Furthermore, the American Legion of R. M. Post meets there, but more of that later. How anyone gets to buy a lot out here beats me. They have to fight their way through a bunch of delegates from the various trades pertinent to a new subdivision. The newest additions to the standing army of workers are Ben Hatler with his lads drilling the new well; Ed Norman figuring on the new Eyrone Jackson Submersible pump; and the Coachella Valley Flood Control District doing out contours for the flood control in Magnesia Canyon, making possible the new hillside tract.

About 70 of you good people have bought in the new 80-acre Annex No. 2 Tract. There are far too many names to mention, but a curious thing happened the past week, when three different people bought property, each giving an address on Stone Canyon Road, Bel Air.

The new Rancho Mirage Post of the American Legion held its initial meeting last Friday with George Boldin, 21st District Commander, presiding. Temporary officers elected to the Post were as follows:

Post Commander, James H. Clark; Post Adjutant, Maurice J. Swetland; Senior Vice Commander, Herbert Truex; Junior Vice Commander, Lyle Harper; Chaplain, Ted Hutchison; Finance Officer, Bernard Gallagher; Sergeant at Arms, Bernard Biglin.

With all the comradeship, beer, sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, etc., the meeting was a rousing success. Our hearty comrades from Palm Springs extended us a big hand and the Post charter was approved at the District Convention on Sunday at Hemet, which has obliged the skids for fast action in establishing the Post. Swetland, an old-timer in the Legion, who volunteered as the handy man with the Adjutant's job, reports that our application has been forwarded to the State Department. The first official meeting of the Post is being held at my diggings tonight, at which meeting it is hoped all will be in attendance. A bang up meeting is promised with the usual refreshments. Last Tuesday a bunch of the boys went to the Owen Coffman stag at the Three Musketeers. The mother post of Palm Springs really showed them a good time.

Check Suspect Held in Kansas

First Lieutenant Robert R. Warden, 33, who passed more than \$200.00 in worthless checks among merchants here, according to the local police department, was apprehended by Wichita, Kansas, police Wednesday.

Chief of Police August T. Kettmann immediately wired authorities in Kansas that Palm Springs holds a warrant for the fugitive and that Riverside county would take immediate steps to extradite the fugitive.

In the 14th century, there were special cramps rings supposed to ward off stomach cramps.

Junior Traffic Patrol Formed at Stevens School

Twenty-five students of the Frances Stevens school have been formed into a traffic control group, known as the Junior Traffic Patrol, to assist the police department at school crossings across heavily automobile-travelled streets.

These students will be instructed by Traffic Officer Bob Phillips of the local police department and are being sponsored by the Lions Club here. Miss Katherine Finch, Desert School District superintendent; Miss Eileen Carey, principal; Frances Stevens school; and Bob Grenow of the physical education staff co-operated in the formation of this Junior Traffic Patrol.

The new youthful organization will supervise traffic in the vicinity of the school. Members were drawn from the "Safety Group", which has been in existence for sometime. They were selected on a basis of scholarship and citizenship. Each patrol member will be equipped with red overseas caps, white Sam Browne belts, badges and whistles.

Chief August Kettmann said that officers will be on hand to enforce the supervision of automobile traffic as carried on by the youngsters and that motorists who ignore or endanger the students will be prosecuted. A similar group is being formed at the Junior High School.

Members of the Junior Traffic Patrol are:

Bob Markham, captain; Peter Outcault, Mary Puentes, Susanne Cooper.

Gary Hoffman, captain; Paul Matloff, Celeste French, Nancy Schisler.

Jimmy Hicks, captain; Darwyn Cline, Carol McClung, Barbara Moore.

Doug Winterton, captain; Henry Myer, Eleanor Purcell, Peggy Moore.

Jim Fouch, captain; James Pye, Shirley Laidlaw, Bobby Guin.

Alternates: Johnny Guin, Gail Hicks, Gerald Ostrow, Johnny Saidburn, Dora Wilmar.

Offer Made to Delete 280,000 Acres from Joshua Tree Monument

The Mining Congress of Southern California at a meeting at 2 p. m. yesterday at San Bernardino discussed a letter received from the U. S. Department of the Interior offering to delete approximately 280,000 acres from Joshua Tree National Monument and reopen it to mining.

While this will open approximately one-third of the desert monument area to miners, it will not make available the El Dorado mine and Desert Queen mine, the latter near Twentynine Palms, and certain other potentially rich areas. S. T. Schreiber, secretary of the association, points out.

Eliminated from the monument would be the Cottonwood mountains, just northwest of the Metropolitan Water District aqueduct and northeast of the Coachella valley, most of the Eagle mountains and Lost Palms canyon north of Hayfield reservoir, and a long strip of the Pinto mountains and part of the Cocombs mountains on the Riverside-San Bernardino counties border.

The Iron Chief mine, owned by Kaiser interests in the Eagle mountains, is being worked under patents, it was stated.

A further complication seen in the letter from Hillary A. Tolson, acting director of the National Park service in Washington, D. C., is that even though the mining area were removed from the park boundaries, transfer of the land would still be subject to approval of the secretary of the interior.

The alluvial soil at the mouth of the Mississippi river is estimated at not less than 700 to 1,000 feet deep.

PALM SPRINGS, CALIF

Friday, April 19, 1946

The Desert Sun—5

First Meeting of Palm Springs Chapter DAV Held With Dr. James E. Potter Elected Commanding Officer of Group

First meeting of the Disabled American Veterans' Chapter 66, of Palm Springs took place in the offices of Dr. James E. Potter Wednesday evening, at which time officers of the new organization were elected.

100 Per Cent

Red Cross Chairman Lists Willing Firms

Anthony Burke, chairman of the Red Cross fund campaign, this week released the fourth list of 100 percent business firms in the city and recapitulated the total box score to date:

This is the fourth list of businesses where all employees have contributed to the 1946 fund campaign: United States Postoffice, Tanner Motor Livery, Ramon Trailer Park, Desert Inn Beauty Shop, Desert Inn Garage, Fire Department, Munholland & Co., Charles Mathews and Billy Wright, Palm Springs Drug Co., Page Page.

Completing the list of businesses where personnel have subscribed 100 percent are the following published previously: Annette's Beauty Shop, Hatchitt's Market, Joshua Tree Studio, Plaza Market, Tweeds & Weeds, Bank of America, Raymond Cree, 139 Club, Cove Club, Devine's Market, E. F. Hutton, McEvoy's, Culver Nichols, Robert Ransom, Safeway, Sunshine Court, Tiare Tahiti, Denslow's Gift Shop, Fun in the Sun Candies, Village Pharmacy, Western Union, Mary Helen Shop, Reed's Radio Shop, Village 5 and 10, Thrifty 5 and 10, Railway Express Co., Fulton's Ladies' and Men's Shop, Acoma Indian Shop, Malt Shop, Muriel Fulton, Lanz, Chi-Chi, Plaza Cleaners, Police Department, Plaza Date Shop, Brock's Waffle Shop, Worden's Jewelry.

Dr. Potter, who had been acting as commander during organization, was permanently elected. Dr. James A. Staley was selected as senior vice-commander and Bill Rashall as junior vice-commander. Ray Hiller was elected adjutant and treasurer. Other officers elected were: Henry Menard, chaplain; John L. Routt, sergeant-at-arms; Gardner (Bob) Gane, officer of the day and Graham C. Dexter, state executive committee.

24 ON ROLL

Although there are approximately 24 men on the rolls, fifteen of these members whose dues were paid at the time the charter was issued, found their names inscribed on that certificate.

These charter members were: James E. Potter, P. A. Staley, John L. Routt, Paul E. Shreve, Fred D. Crosby, Graham C. Dexter, William Rashall, Gardner L. Gane, H. L. Dollars, Ray Hiller, Orie H. Small, James R. Dugan, Leonard Vichers, Henry H. Menard, and Adolph J. Benzing.

TO AID VETERANS

Orie H. Small was appointed to act as service officer of the post. It will be his duty to aid all service men whether members of the DAV or not, in matters pertaining to their military service, assist in filing for hospitalization and claims against the government. He will also assist and advise veterans in filing for benefits under the GI Bill of Rights.

Traveling all the way from Huntington Park to assist the infant organization in its first formal meeting, was past Commander Albert Anix, of the Lisle H. Ford Chapter of the DAV.

CHARTER IS READ

The first business of the meeting was the reading of the Charter certificate by Dr. Potter, who outlined the solemn duties assumed by each man as a member of the DAV.

The next meeting of Chapter 66 will take place Wednesday, May 8, at the fire station. Any change in this date or place of meeting will be contained in personal notices sent to each member.

Lions Defeat Boy Scout Team, 12-2

Lions Club softball team, after trailing two innings in its game with a troop of Boy Scouts from Los Angeles, defeated the visitors 12 to 2, at the Field Club, Wednesday evening.

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Personal

1

PRIVATE SALE: Sat. and Sun. Paintings by Samuel Edmonston, noted 19th Century artist, whose work hangs in royal academies of Europe. 4875 Victoria Ave., corner Iris, Riverside. s38

YOUNG COUPLE wish to share ride to Cleveland or vicinity. Share expenses and driving. Can drive any make of car. Desire to leave about May 1st. 236 N. Indian, Apt. 5 before 4:00. s38p

MONEY WANTED: Have Trust Deeds from \$5,000 to \$25,000 paying good interest. See Peter B. Sheptenko, realtor, 475 N. Palm Canyon Dr. Phone 7366. s37tf

WILL PAY \$5 FOR MOVIES of October '44 or March '45 LOS COMPADRES

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Lost and Found

2

LOST: Small gold wrist watch, around Desert Inn grounds or vicinity. Reward. Finder please notify Mrs. James S. Kemper, 1500 S. Lakeshore Dr., Chicago, Ill. s38

Help Wanted

3

WANTED: Men experienced in plumbing, heating and cooling. Henry A. Simsarian, 850 N. Palm Canyon Dr. s27tf

WHITE WOMAN for cooking, serving, general housework, small family, new house, on ranch. Write Mrs. W. R. Cowan, P. O. Box 556, Tustin, Calif. s38-41p

MAID — Take full charge. \$75 month and living quarters. Phone 9620. s38

REAL ESTATE Salesmen—Have openings for 4 real estate salesmen. Must have good, clean record. \$500 bracket or more to qualify. Ten offices in the San Gabriel Valley. Main office, Holmes for Homes, 100 W. Garvey, El Monte, Calif. s38-39p

Help Wanted

3

HELP WANTED: Couple who own trailer; no children; for trailer rental and sales lot until Fall. Salary and commission. See Mr. Osborn, 333 S. Figueroa St., Los Angeles, or Ray Forbes, Banning. s37-38

JUICE BAR concession in established date shop. Available June 1, including next season. Complete equipment; also living quarters. See George Lewbel, 132 N. Palm Canyon Dr. s36tf

WANTED: Experienced body and fender man. Must be reliable and sober. Good proposition for right man. See Mr. Croshier, Forbes Motor Co., 255 E. Ramsey St., Banning, Calif. s36

PALM SPRINGS Employment Agency, Carnell Bldg. Jane D. Brown, Mgr. Phone 6966. s9tf

WAITRESSES WANTED: Breakfast, lunch shift; lunch, dinner shift. La Cita. Phone 6341. s32

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BUSINESS LADY wishes position as caretaker of your summer home. Write Mrs. G. at 236 N. Indian Ave. s38p

MAINTENANCE: Repairs fans, cleaners, small motors, or other good job. Phone 5454, Dave. s38p

LOCAL Business couple with Palm Springs references wish to manage home or estate during summer months in exchange for living quarters. Phone Frank Dwyer at 4001. s38p

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Wanted to Rent

5

CAN YOU HELP US? Veteran and family, one small child, urgently need 2- or 3-bedroom home. Wanted for all next season, starting Sept. 15. Will sign lease.

Write P. O. Box 385

MAN, WIFE wish to lease apt. for year or more in Palm Springs Phone Loler, Riverside 5616J. s38-40p

SMALL HOUSE or cabin year around, or will exchange for 2-bedroom in Redondo Beach. 2604 Mathews Lane, Redondo Beach. s38-39p

PROFESSIONAL man, permanently employed. Palm Springs resident, desires small furnished apartment. Phone 3381. s38tf

YOUNG MAN wants room to rent, in private home, from May 11 'til June. Preferably with Jewish family. Board optional. Convalescent, doctors orders to come to desert. Write giving full particulars to Box A c/o Desert Sun. s38p

COUPLE with 15 month-old baby needs cool house for summer. Will lease furnished place for a year or for the summer. Or will act as caretaker for the summer in exchange for cool living quarters. Leave message 8361 or P. O. Box 847. s38p

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For Rent

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7

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Kenneth Kirk to Head Big Spring Frolic April 29

Kenneth B. Kirk, popular winter resident of Palm Springs, this week accepted the general chairmanship of the big Desert Spring Frolic which the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor at La Quinta the night of Monday, April 29, and plans which he and his committee had completed at week's end forecast one of the top social events of the season.

The program calls for a dinner-dance at tables set about a dance floor in the beautiful patio of La Quinta, games and entertainment. Tickets will be on sale next Monday at the Palm Springs Drug Company, Village Pharmacy, Bullock's, Gordon's in the Plaza and the Chamber of Commerce office. Attendance must be limited to 400, so persons desiring to attend are urged by Chairman Kirk to obtain their tickets early. Numerous large parties already have been arranged.

Members of the committee planning this gala party will meet for luncheon with Chairman Kirk at the Palm Springs Hotel, Monday, as guests of Robert T. Ransom, president of the Chamber of Commerce. Another meeting of the group is planned at the Kirk home for next Thursday evening. Full cooperation is being given the committee by William Walshe, manager of La Quinta. Numerous prizes will be awarded during the evening, including ny-lons and other scarce articles.

Members of the committee are: Chairman Kirk, Priscilla Chaffey, Mary Lou Hicks, Evelyn Purcell, Josephine Sprague, Carolyn Hicks, Charlotte Watson, Barbara Hinkle, Melba Bennett, Marion Mathews, Beth Scott, Joseph Butler, Cecil Isenagie, Bill Goodrich, Frank Cutler, Phil Delano, Bill Rashall, Robert Ransom, Harold Murphy, Frank Bennett and Gordon Feekings.

Farewell Party Given for Noted Visitors Here

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Schaeffer, the former a retired physician of Seattle, Wash., who have been house guests of Mrs. H. A. Diridicksen, have been entertained by a host of friends with many parties being given for them.

On the eve of their departure, a progressive farewell party was given in their honor by Mrs. Diridicksen, Mrs. Butler and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson.

Unusual cocktails and hors d'oeuvres were served at the Butler home, after which the party moved to the Henderson home for charcoal broiled steaks. Dessert and coffee were served at the Diridicksens.

The trio from the Pago Pago entertained the dinner party. The party bade farewell to the Schaeffers as their private plane took off for New York where they will pick up several precious stones, a silver wedding gift to Mrs. Schaeffer.

Withdrawal of Army from Local Airport Will Have No Effect on Western Air's Service; Base to be Closed April 30

Abandonment of the local air field by the army and the de-activation of the 560th Army Air Forces Unit stationed there was contained in orders both from Washington, D. C., and headquarters of the Air Transport Command at Cincinnati, Ohio.

The telegram from Washington stated that the field would be surplus to the needs of the army air forces after April 30 and a similar date was set by ATC's head offices for the de-activation of the military unit stationed there.

Western Air Line acquainted with the forthcoming action, immediately announced that the action would not interfere with the scheduled flights of its planes to Palm Springs.

"The informal notice of a forthcoming shutdown of the Palm Springs Army Air Base," declared Richard A. Dick, general traffic manager of WAL, "will not affect our service to Palm Springs."

Dick added that his company was dispatching representatives to Palm Springs at once to work out with the city all necessary arrangements for continuing the airline's daily flight to the air base, if the army withdraws its control tower service and weather facilities.

"If the closing of the AAB takes place at the end of April," continued Dick, "we will have ample time to provide our own control tower operators and radio service."

Lt. Col. Charles A. McGarrigle, new commanding officer at the field, announced that he is waiting further instruction by letter from his headquarters.

From Head to Toe

By BARBARA K. SCHILLY

BARBARA SCHILLY

Jewelry . . . is this weeks subject, and if the newspaper shorts were not so acute, we would be tempted to write several full pages on it for the simple reason that it is that fascinating and that important. However, we will confine ourselves to the few allotted words and mention several current trends.

Such as . . . the fact that silver jewelry . . . though still most popular . . . is now definitely runner-up to the favorite finish, gold. Where silver jewelry and white clothes were considered so smart last summer . . . gold has now replaced silver in that duo.

Then, too . . . where an armful of silver bracelets was thought to be the very last word . . . now we might say it is the first word in the last sentence . . . and gold can claim the distinction of having that honored spot "the final word." An arm piled with gold bracelets from wrist to elbow is what stylish women now are striving for (and their husbands are striving to support, as unfortunately gold is more costly than silver).

In regard to the wearing of jewelry itself . . . the rule still is . . . the more the better and chunky or antique jewelry styles still have a large share of that devoted spotlight.

In regard to style itself . . . we find that the sunburst and circular themes in jewelry . . . such as illustrated in the picture above are most popular.

Spray and flower motifs are on the wane with other delicate jewelry. Sensation causing and eye catching jewels are the mode of the day.

Of course the popular dog collar is still the latest vogue and smart women (both in looks and intelligence) are discovering that one dog collar can multiply itself in appearance merely by the addition of a pin or brooch such as illustrated on the model in our picture.

Any way we look at it . . . it is jewelry we see and the shrewdest woman knows that she is going to be much better dressed if she will limit her purchases to a few simple outfits and make them look rich and sumptuous by the addition of good looking jewelry . . . costume or real.

11-Point Program To Aid Victims of Hitlerism Started

An eleven-point program for the relief, rehabilitation and resettlement of the 1,400,000 surviving Jews of Europe will be carried on by American Jews through the \$100,000,000 United Jewish Appeal for Refugees, Overseas Needs and Palestine, it was announced yesterday by Barney Ostrow, chairman of the local drive.

In outlining the program to rescue the Jewish survivors of Hitlerism from the ravages of starvation, disease and homelessness in war-ravaged Europe, Mr. Ostrow emphasized that the local Jewish committee was engaging in an unprecedented drive so that those who escaped annihilation at the hands of the Nazi oppressor shall not fall victim to the aftermath of the worst persecution in the history of civilization.

He described the United Jewish Appeal, which derives its funds in Palm Springs from the Palm Springs drive, as the channel through which the decision will be made as to how many of the remaining Jews of Europe will live through the present critical post-war year.

"The saving of the lives of the European Jewish survivors is one supreme task facing the Jews of Palm Springs this year," Mr. Ostrow said. "The committee in charge earnestly asks the cooperation and donations of all persons in Palm Springs, and would greatly appreciate your mailing your contributions to Stanley Rosin, local treasurer, 418 S. Palm Canyon Drive, as soon as possible," said Mr. Ostrow.

Supervisors Back Proposal to Make Park of Canyons

The Board of Supervisors of Riverside county this week unanimously adopted a resolution asking the California State Park Commission to study the feasibility of including the Palm-Andreas-Tahquitz canyons area in the state park system.

Action by the county board, which is expected to signal early action by the park commission in making a study of the famed canyon country with an eye to taking it into the system, was voted after the matter was presented to them by two representatives of Palm Springs, Attorney Henry Lockwood and Harry Harper. Recently the executive committee of the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce voted to request action by the supervisors.

Word of the resolution adopted by the county board was as follows:

"Whereas, it appears to this body that the inclusion in the California State Park system of the area embraced in Palm Canyon and vicinity near Palm Springs, California, would be of great benefit to the people of Riverside county and the State of California,

"Now Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of Riverside county requests the California State Park Commission to investigate the desirability of adding the above-described area to the State Park system of California."

A short history of the various moves started in past years to open the canyon areas to the public was given the supervisors by the two spokesmen for the Chamber of Commerce.

Father of Local Woman Called

Charles McDowell, father of Mrs. Neva Youngs of Palm Springs, succumbed at his home last Friday after a brief illness at the age of 66 years.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the Veterans' chapel in West Los Angeles.

Mrs. Youngs is the only survivor.

Copelands To Open Balboa Sweet Shop

Patrons of the Desert Sweet Shop here, who intend to spend the summer at Balboa, may be glad to know that Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Copeland, proprietors of the candy store here, will open a new store in that seashore resort about June 15.

Next fall the Desert Sweet Shop here will open in September, Mrs. Copeland said.

Sandra Lee Has Birthday Party

Sandra Lee Shuttleworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Shuttleworth, celebrated her first birthday Saturday at Redlands. Helping her celebrate were Mrs. Frances L. Shuttleworth, Mrs. David Rettig and Franz, Mrs. Jack Owen and Robert, Mrs. Paul Gerrard and James, Mrs. Louis Barber and Roger, Mrs. Dan Thomas and Linda, Mrs. Wayne Hawthorne and Sandra Lee, Mrs. Emmett Osburn and twins, Barton and Beverly.

Alta Berger and Dorothy Weiss, both of San Francisco, are spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. George Weiss and their family at the Tahquitz Vista apartments.

Be Smart . . . Relax at the Movies

It's Going Up

Mercury Tops 100
Degrees This Week

Officially, the mercury hit the 100 mark for the first time this season. Unofficially, there have been reports of more than 100-degree temperatures from private citizens for more than a week.

But the official figures as released yesterday are:

Date	Max.	Min.
April 11	97	54
April 12	97	51
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Villager Injured In Crash Fatal to Flying Junkman

Negri Goni, 41, of Palm Springs, was injured and Arrigo Balboni, 52, Mission boulevard resident near Mira Loma, killed in an automobile accident last week near Puente when their car crashed into a pepper tree.

Goni is at a Covina hospital. Balboni was known as the "flying junkman" and his place, midway between Ontario and Mira Loma, attracted the attention of many Villagers, enroute to Los Angeles.

He specialized in a junkyard devoted exclusively to wrecked airplanes. Veteran of World War I, he got his start in his unusual business in an unusual way. After the war he was flying an old Jenny when he crashed. He sold parts of the wrecked plane and found it so profitable that he opened his airplane junk yard in a field south of Mission boulevard, west of Mira Loma.

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Duo Recaptured by MPs After Tour of Local Night Spots

Two German prisoners of war, Walter E. Breifeld and Willie Baehr, found life in the prisoner's stockade at Torney General hospital here too humdrum and decided to make a change. What prompted their ultimate action were the glamour stories they had heard about Palm Canyon Drive on a Saturday night.

Accordingly they eluded their guards and made the rounds from one cocktail bar to another until the 12 midnight closing hour. However, during the course of the evening, and telling everyone with whom they talked that they were natives of Sweden in order to account for their heavy German accents, they finally met John Ruby, 25, 276 Ramsey street, Banning.

HAPPY OVER DEAL

As a result of this meeting, Ruby spent the rest of Saturday night and part of Monday in the city bastille, placed there on the orders of the military. The two Germans were returned to the stockade with plenty of schnapps under their belts, and definitely happy over their excursion into the night life of Palm Springs.

Ruby's arrest and the capture of the prisoners happened at the precise moment when the trio were happily ensconced in Ruby's car for a further tour of night spots beyond the city limits.

SEARCH BEGUN

According to Captain Edward Kelly, commanding officer of the prisoners' stockade here, Breifeld and Baehr were missed from the compound at Torney General Hospital some time after 10 a. m. and a search was instantly started. This search was joined by soldiers from the Army Air base as well.

Some time between 12:30 and 1 a. m., with all of the cocktail lounges closed, military police found the two Germans and Ruby about to drive away from in front of a popular night spot.

Ruby, interviewed Sunday from behind bars, said he had been drinking and only hazily remembers inviting the "Swedes" into his automobile for a visit to a night spot beyond the city limits.

"What gets me," explained the sober Ruby in jail, "is that I helped chase the Nazi's clean across France and Germany as a member of the third armored forces and I should know the difference between a Swedish accent and that of a German."

Be Smart... Relax at the Movies

Ticket Sale for Ramona Opens in Southland Cities

Tickets and reservations for "Ramona", opening late this month in Ramona Bowl near Hemet, are now available in over 50 Southland cities.

The sale started this week for the six afternoon performances of the historic Early California play to be presented over the weekends of April 27 and 28; May 4 and 5; and May 11 and 12.

The Ramona Bowl seats 6,000 people and early indications point to sell-outs for each of the six performances. Usually ideal weather exists during these spring weekends but in the event of rain where a cancellation of performance is necessary, tickets can be exchanged for added shows to be held on May 18 and 19.

In the Bowl, rehearsals of the cast of 300 are approaching final stages under the direction of Jean Inness and Victor Jory. Heading the list of players is Juana Encell as Ramona, and stage and screen actor Henry Brandon in the role of Alessandro. The balance of the players are residents of the twin cities of Hemet and San Jacinto, who perform as a labor of love.

Perry Johnson Home Gay Scene During Circus

The home of the Perry Johnsons was a gay whirl of cocktail parties, luncheons and dinners during Circus Week with nine houseguests feted by their hosts.

The houseguests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Huck of Los Angeles. Mrs. Huck is Claire Windsor's sister and prominent socially in the southland. She is vice-president of the Pleiades club, president of the God-Mothers club and a director of the Woman's Breakfast club; Mr. and Mrs. Duerlin Baryton and son, Mike, of Laguna Beach. Both Mr. and Mrs. Brayton and son, Mike, of La-Practically pioneers in the southland in the ceramic field, being among the first to make individualized pottery, figures and so on. They collaborated with Walt Disney in creating his characters in pottery; Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Bassett of Beverly Hills, WAC Captain Marion Toole of Huntington Park and WAC Captain Ruth Adams, who has just returned from two and one-half years duty in England.

New Office Opens For County Vets At San Bernardino

Veterans in San Bernardino and Riverside counties will be served by a new Veterans Administration sub-regional office opened at 1120 E Street, San Bernardino, Mr. L. C. Chapman, manager of the Los Angeles Regional Office announced today.

Established in the offices in which the San Bernardino Water Company was formerly located, the VA service will be headed by Philip M. Marsh, a San Bernardino resident.

Local veterans will be informed of the benefits due them under the Servicemen's Readjustment

Desert Hobbies to Be Lecture Subject

Mrs. Winifred Line, native of Korea and a doctor of medicine, well known in the Village, will provide an interesting lecture for Desert Museum fans this week, when she speaks on Hobbies of the Desert at the Fiesta House on the Desert Inn grounds.

Her lecture will deal with the hobbies as they promote health and happiness.

Plans include out-patient medical and dental treatment and a staff of 25.

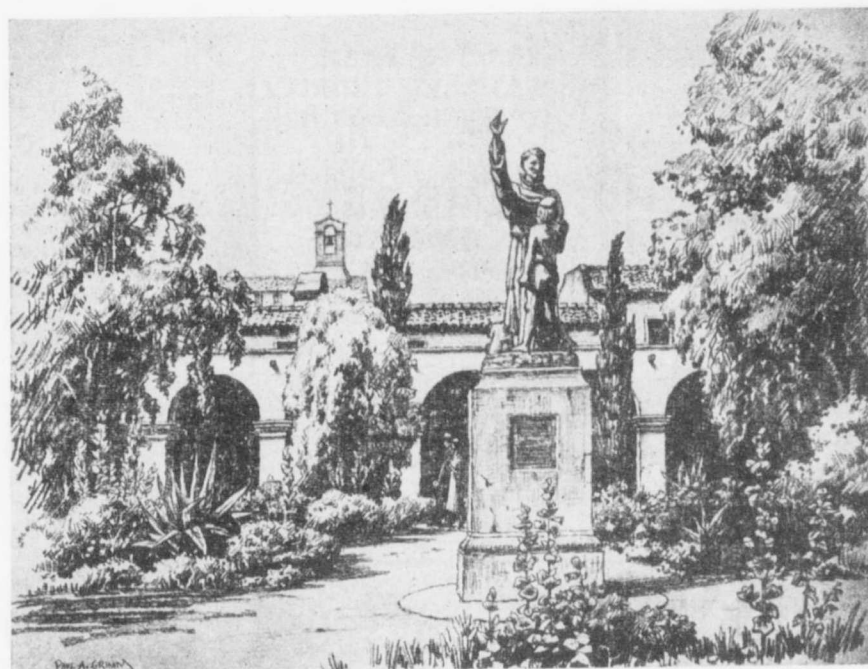
The Vocational Guidance center will continue to be operated by the city at San Bernardino Junior College, officials said.

Robert W. Boltz Doffs Navy Uniform

Robert W. Boltz, ETM 2/c, whose home address here is 547 Calle de Rolph, has been honorably discharged by the U. S. Navy at the Naval Personnel Separation center at Shoemaker, California.

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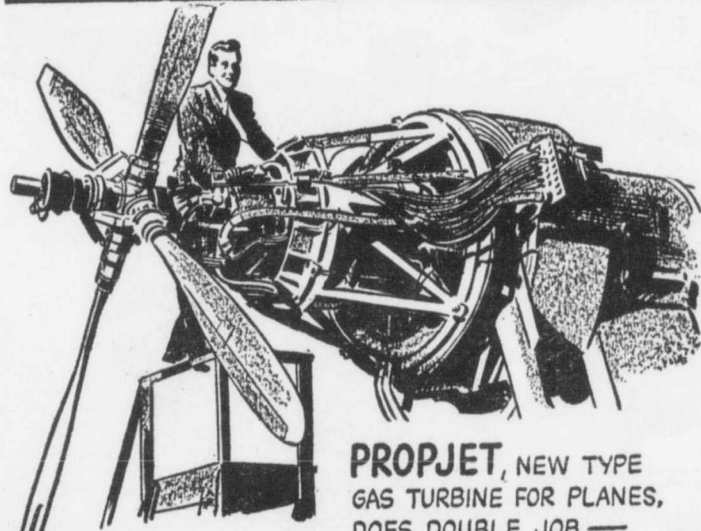
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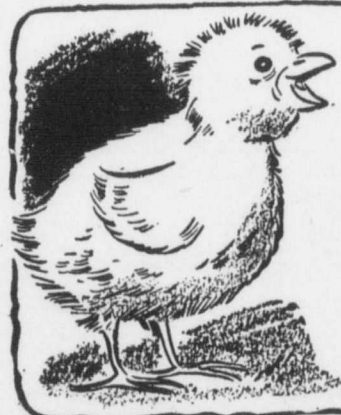
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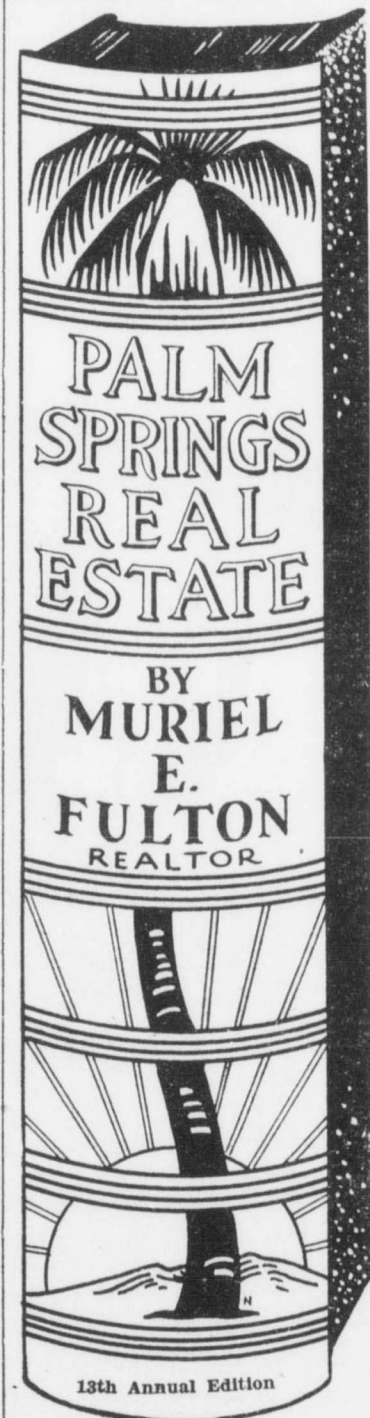
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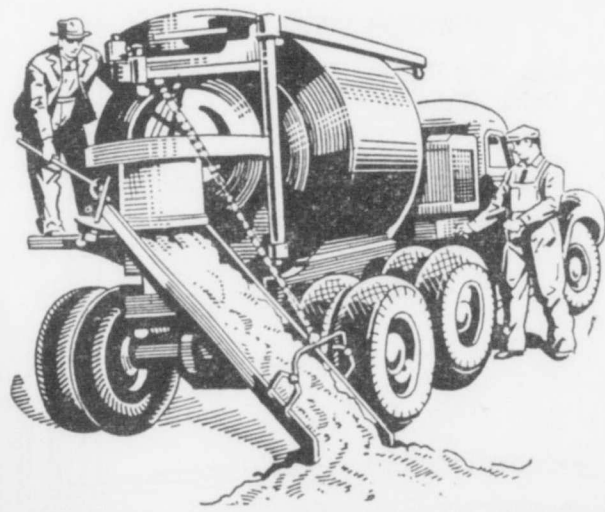
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(Continued from last week)

Leaving Holbrook, Arizona, early in the morning, we drove straight through Winslow to have breakfast at La Posada, the Harvey House there. It had been five years since I had been there before. It was the night the late Pres. Roosevelt had given his first warning of the seriousness of the European situation. I had listened to the radio talk in my car and remembered wondering just how much involved we would become. As we left Winslow and headed west on Highway 66, the sky continued to become darker and overcast, with rain threatening at any moment. Famous Meteor Crater, just a mile off the road to our left, whizzed by. We had both been over to the crater's edge, and were in too much of a hurry to reach Flagstaff to repeat the side-trip at that time. It is a most interesting region, however, and I have often speculated as to what a magnificent sight it must have been to see that gigantic Barringer meteorite, as it has been named, plunging into the earth, like a rock in soft mud, raising a several hundred foot rim of dirt around the edge, dirt that was partially fused by the tremendous heat produced. No wonder the local Indians have fearful legends about this fall!

RUN INTO RAIN

As we drove past Sunset Crater on our right and on into the city of Flagstaff, it began to sprinkle. That was certainly nice weather to welcome us, especially since Jack was keen on taking some 4 x 5 color shots of the Snow Bowl and of nearby Oak Creek Canyon at Sedona. We got us a very comfortable little motel room at a place where Jack always made it a habit to stop when in that city, and after a lunch at the Monte Vista Hotel drove around the outskirts to see if the weather seemed about to break.

The road toward the Snow Bowl, which is a famed skiing area on the slopes of the beautiful San Francisco Peaks directly behind Flagstaff, we found to be very muddy and slippery. We turned around after a few miles and drove back to the little museum of Northern Arizona. In spite of the many times that I

have visited this attractive little building, I have never failed to be impressed. It is by all odds the neatest, most complete, most attractive displayed museum I have ever seen anywhere. Each exhibit is perfection in itself, no matter if it's displaying the costumes of a Navaho woman or the Indian ruins at Wupatki National Monument. It is a MUST on every visitor's list. Nor will you find more cordial people there than Prof. and Mrs. Colton and the museum's staff.

PLAN BIG FILM

At a downtown bookstore I purchased two books on the Navaho Indians to read that afternoon, since the skies, if anything, looked darker. It was certainly not picture-taking weather, and the original drizzling had turned to a steady downpour. It was discouraging, to say the least.

From the local newspaper I gleaned further information about the big budgeted Technicolor 20th Century-Fox movie "My Darling Clementine", which was scheduled to be filmed right in Monument Valley, with John Ford as director. Crews were already there building a replica of early days at Tombstone, Arizona, with the monuments silhouetted in the background. Ford is partial to Monument Valley ever since he filmed "Stagecoach", an Academy Award winner, within its confine years ago. The cast is a big one, starring Henry Fonda as Wyatt Earp; Victor Mature as Doc Holliday; Linda Darnell as a dancehall queen, Walter Brennan as the leader of the opposition, and the role of Clementine as yet undecided. Fonda's being in the cast was of special interest to Jack, since he and Fonda were together overseas in the Navy; so it will be like old home-week when actual shooting commences the first week in May.

OFF TO MONUMENT

Saturday, April 6, dawned as dark as ever, and so were our dispositions. One whole day wasted, and the prospects of another, if not more. We took a short drive out Highway 89 toward the Grand Canyon, just to see what the weather looked like away out in the Navaho Country. Past Sunset Crater again, this time on our right to the east, we hummed down the pavement to the top of the rise, from which you drop down into the western edge of the great Painted Desert. From this vantage point we could look northward clear into Utah 150 to 200 miles away! The whole sky was filled to crowding with thick dark and threatening ones. We turned back to Flagstaff chagrined.

While Jack checked with the weather station, I continued reading one of my books: THE NAV-AHO DOOR. Suddenly the door flew open and Jack dashed in with the words: "Come on! We're heading for Monument Valley right now; Flagstaff's going to be socked-in for three or four more days!" I needed no further encouragement, for I was now at the very brink of the great adventure I had been looking forward to for so many long years. Hastily I scooped together my scattered articles, plopped myself into the front seat of Jaunty Jack III, and we splashed down the highway out of Flagstaff.

OVER BAD ROADS

Back on Highway 89 we soon reached the rise once more and began the long decent down and across almost due north, skirting the red and orange wastelands on our right that formed the Painted Desert. Within an hour we had reached Cameron, at the junction to the south rim of the Grand Canyon. We stopped here for lunch and a chat with Hubert and Jack Richardson who run that trading post. Hurrying on now, for our goal was a good 120 miles beyond over notorious bad roads, all dirt, we made our way. It was already 12:45, and we had to reach Monument Valley before sundown!

Just nine miles beyond Cameron we turned off the pavement onto a dirt road toward Tuba City. The drive to this trading post was an uneventful one and traversed some beautiful eroded areas near the Moenkopi Wash. Tuba City itself is quite an outpost, with an Indian hospital and all. We fill our tank with gasoline and bounced on.

ON FINAL LAP

Our next stop, by Castle Butte was at Tonalea (Red Lake), the approach to which is down the steep face of a huge orange-colored sand dune! There is actually a small reservoir or lake nearby. A few moments friendly

chat at this trading post and then we were on the move again. We skirted the Elephant's Feet, two giant white columns of stone which bulge out at the base exactly like some prehistoric mammoth's limbs and which rise some three hundred feet into the air, and by-passed the next Post: Cow Springs. The road up to this point was in pretty fair condition, though rough in spots. There had been considerable grading and improvements along the entire route since Jack had last been over it before the war. Now we were entering Marsh Pass, the entrance to Kayenta, the most remote post office in the United States! In the years gone by Jack had always found this spot the worst in the whole road, and what with the rain of the previous days, and more threatening to deluge us at any moment, Jack feared we might not be able to get through to Kayenta. So it was with much misgiving and tension that I watched the sandstone canyons narrow down on either side of us toward Marsh Pass.

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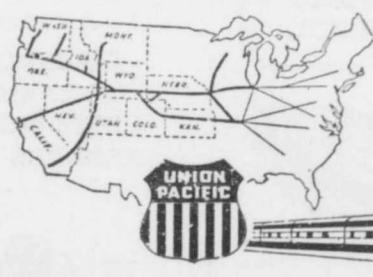
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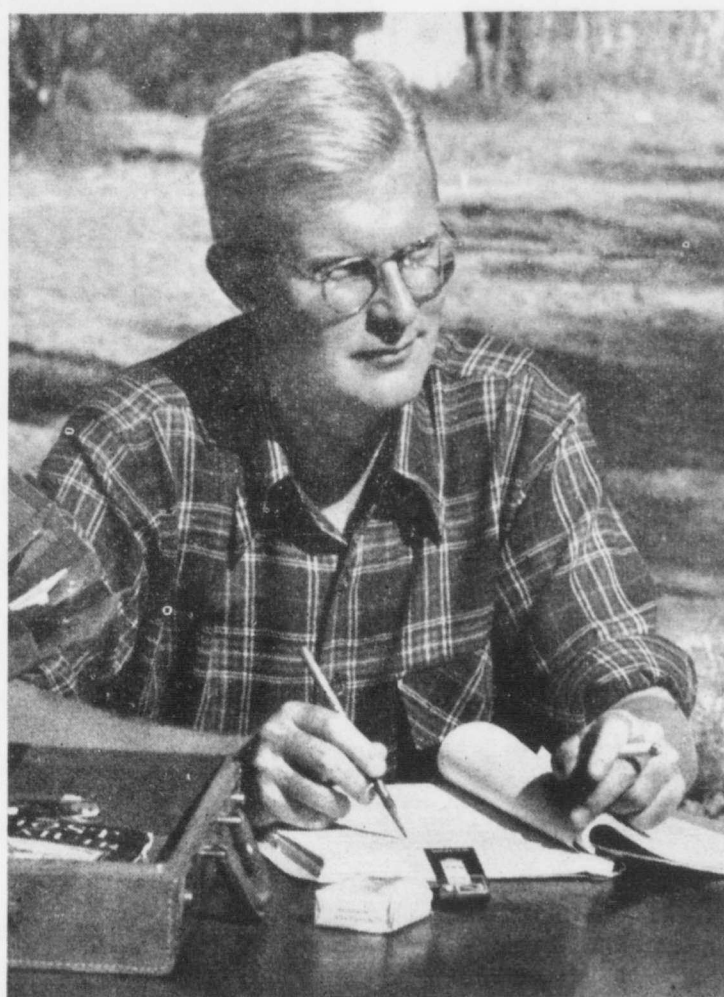
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RESTS AND WORKS—Working on another script for 20th Century Fox is Philip Dunne, who is staying at the La Quinta hotel, combining a desert rest with work. He has just finished a lengthy script for "Forever Amber." (Photo by Fin.)

Charles W. Lyon Campaign Launched for State Office

Announcement of the opening of a vigorous campaign to elect Assembly-Speaker Charles W. Lyon to the office of Lieutenant Governor was made from his newly-opened headquarters in the Hayward Hotel, Los Angeles, this week.

At the same time, Assemblyman Sam Collins was named as southern California manager for Lyon's campaign and a large staff of volunteer workers began active canvass of their respective areas.

"Charles W. Lyon is the only really experienced candidate for the office of Lieutenant Governor," Collins said. "His many years of active service both as Assemblyman and State Senator fully qualify him for the position he seeks. Lyon is endorsed by a big majority of the Republican Assemblymen of California who have been in a position to see the fine work and untiring effort he has put forth in behalf of the State."

Collins said that the campaign would shortly be extended into all sections of Southern California and that he has received assurances that a great number of additional volunteer workers will rally to Lyon's candidacy.

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Chapter KV, PEO, met at the new home of Mrs. Harry C. Harper, on Steven Road. The hostess was surprised and delighted with a gift of two framed floral prints. The capable artist who designed and painted the originals is Georgia Caldwell Freeman, a member of Chapter KV.

Guests were Mrs. Ralph Stewart, Chapter G, Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Ruth Robb, Chapter L, Maryville, Missouri, and Mrs. A. L. McEvoy, Chapter EV, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Josephine Sprague presented a splendid review of the auto-biography of the late William Allen White, famed Kansas author, journalist and editor of Emporia Gazette.

The last meeting of the season will be a covered-dish supper at the date ranch of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Freeman, on May 6, when the B.I.L.'s will be entertained.

Two important factors are holding down the normal production of butter in California. One is an increased demand for fresh fluid milk, cottage cheese and ice cream. The other is purely economical. A higher ceiling has been established for all other manufactured milk products than butter, resulting in consequent unprofitable operations for butter-makers.

Bikini Atoll in the Marshall Island group in the Central Pacific has been chosen as the scene for the atomic bomb tests on July 1. Ninety-seven naval target ships will be destroyed in the tests with explosions above the craft, on the surface, and in deep water. Some 37,000 military personnel have been assigned to the operation which is referred to as "Crossroads."

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Schools of Desert District Take Off For the Day Today

Today is a holiday in all schools of the Desert School district. Miss Katherine Finchy, superintendent of the district, today urged parents who plan to take their youngsters out of town for the weekend to have them back in time for Monday's classes.

"Just five weeks of school remain," Miss Finchy said. "Pupils should be in attendance every possible day before the end of the term so that the amount of work expected of them can be completed before promotion time arrives."

Miss Finchy called attention to the fact that the amount of financial aid schools get from the state depends on the average daily attendance.

"Please help us attain a high record by keeping your children in school every day possible except when ill or physically disabled," she said.

Don't Quit That Western Garb Now Is Club's Appeal

Just because Desert Circus week is over, don't abandon that Western outfit on Saturdays.

That was the plea of Los Compadres club this week as they started plans for the third annual Western Week in Palm Springs.

Saturday is still "Western Day" in the Village, so don that loud attire and get into the spirit of the tradition of the desert.

Kenny Paul, president of the club, said that at a meeting of the board last week it was decided that the third annual Western Week would start on October 21 this fall. The week annually inaugurates the season here. It was started in 1944 and proved a great success.

Kangaroo courts, Western dances and a gymkhana at the Field club will mark the week.

An added feature this year will be the convention of makers of Western clothing and accessories to be held here this year. Advance delegates of the association have been here making plans for the convention, which will bring makers of Western gear to Palm Springs, the nation's foremost winter resort.

World Peace To Be Topic Here

Mortimer Stewart, former foreign correspondent for a nationally-known publication, will be the main speaker of "The Los Angeles Group for World Government" at the Francis Stevens School, April 25, at 8 p. m.

This meeting will be conducted as a forum with the subject, "The World Peace Movement". This group is composed of Palm Springs residents who have been meeting regularly for the study of their subject. Other speakers will also make addresses.

Suzanne Cooper Gets Prize at Pet Show

In last week's story of the children's pet show, one winner was inadvertently omitted.

Suzanne Cooper, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Cooper, was awarded the prize for the best groomed pet. She entered her cocker spaniel in this class and easily took the honors.

The Aegean islands include Rhodes, Casteelrosso and the Dodecanese group.

Veterans Urged To File Claims

O. M. Ward, deputy county tax assessor for the Palm Springs district, this week again reminded veterans to file their tax exemption claims at once.

He has discontinued his weekly office at the Chamber of Commerce building but may be seen at his home, 1111 San Jacinto Way, any evening after 6 o'clock.

He advised veterans who want to file claims, however, to call him at 5166 to make sure of an appointment.

Story of Lions Broadcast Here

Palm Springs heard the story of the Lions club via KCMJ last Tuesday morning when Conky Conkwright had Lloyd Simon, president of the club, on his breakfast hour program.

In the interview over the air, Mr. Simon told of the aims of the club and of its work with various charities here.

Most of the money collected in weekly fines at club meetings goes toward children's work—eye

Easter Matinee Tomorrow Morning At Plaza Theater

The Plaza Theatre kiddies matinee tomorrow morning will feature a special Easter fashion show for children on the stage, and all urged to wear Easter outfits. Children of Palm Springs are There will be prizes for both boys and girls for the prettiest dress, prettiest Easter bonnet, best dressed boy and also many other prizes. A special stage show has been arranged by Roy Randolph, Holly Lash Visel, and Don Blanchard.

This will be the last party of the season and the matinees will be discontinued till next winter.

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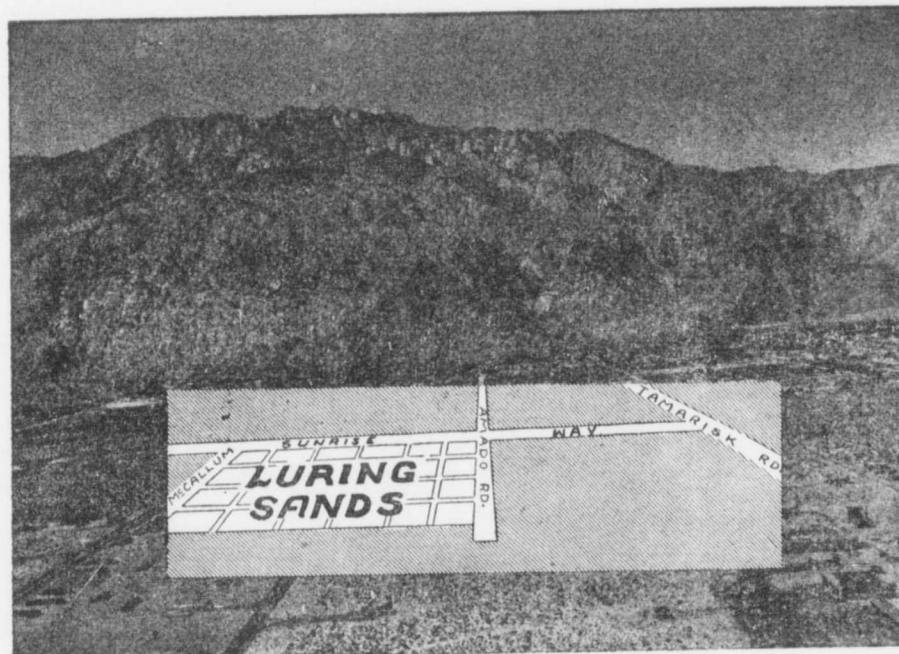
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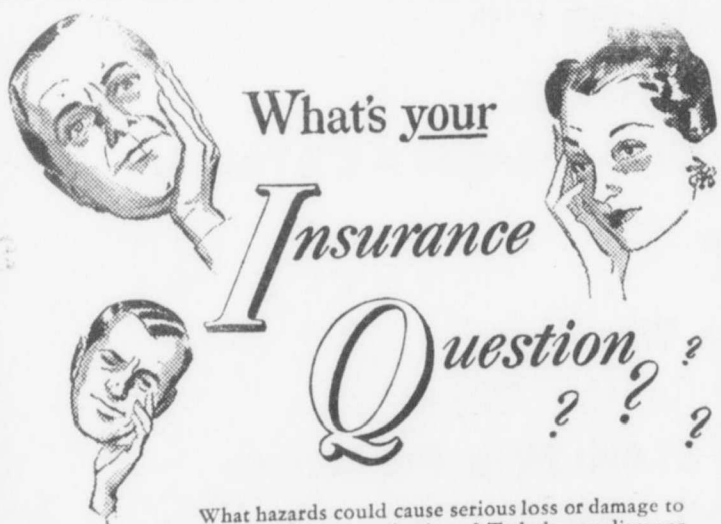
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Furniture Store to Open Monday at 343 North Indian

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The new Palm Springs Furniture Store, 343 N. Indian avenue, will open its doors for the first time that day. Its owner is Saul Morgulies, formerly from Los Angeles, where he was associated with the Twin Furniture company, operators of seven furniture stores. Furthermore, he announced he will not only be open during the winter season, but will continue to operate during the summer months as a service to those people who have to live here.

In addition to the sale of furniture, Morgulies is also going to operate an upholstering department. He said that this department will be able to handle any size job during the summer months.

Married, and the father of two daughters 15 and 16 years of age, he has already moved his family to Palm Springs.

Cacti Subject Of Museum Talk

Beautiful colored pictures of the various kinds of cacti and a discussion on their characteristics and distribution, featured last Saturday night's Desert Museum lecture at the Fiesta House.

Professor Lyman Benson of the Botany department of Pomona College was the speaker and held the close attention of his audience.

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ARCHITECT—E. Stewart Williams, architect, who has moved here with his family to become associated with his father, Harry Williams, and brother, Roger, in architectural practice in the Village.

Another Williams Joins Architectural Staff in Village

E. Stewart Williams, recently discharged after two years in the navy as a lieutenant, has moved to Palm Springs with his wife and two children to become associated with his father, Harry Williams, and brother, Roger Williams, in architectural practice in Palm Springs.

The newcomer is a graduate of Cornell and Pennsylvania universities. He came to California from the east after four years on the faculty of Bard College, Columbia University, where he taught both architectural design and modern painting. He was also associated with the firm of Raymond Loewy, nationally known industrial designer, for several years in New York City.

At 35 he has already won numerous prizes and medals for outstanding work in the arts, among them the American Institute of Architects Student Medal, the American Water Color Society's Zabduskie Prize, and the American Academy in Rome Collaborative Prize.

Just recently he was one of the winners of the General Motors corporation's national competition for a post-war automobile sales and service center.

While studying in Stockholm, Mr. Williams met and married Mari Schlytern, cousin of Anders Beckman, designer of Sweden's exhibit at the New York World's Fair. Mrs. Williams and her two children, Jan Erik and Mari Anne, are now staying at the Plaza, where the Williams are maintaining their architectural offices.

Easter Sunrise to be Greeted from Miracle Hill Point

Easter dawn will be greeted from Miracle Hill in Desert Hot Springs, at 5:22 a.m., Sunday, when the sun's rays first top the eastern edge of the desert.

D. C. Williams will deliver the address for the occasion.

Miss Anne Hill of Banning will be heard in two solos, Gounod's "Green Hills Far Away" and "Divine Redeemer".

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Mrs. Christine McDonald was in general charge of the program. Patrols 1 and 2 tried for their second-class knot tying badges under instructions of Don Miller. Mrs. Clara McClung was in charge of this group.

The rest of the girls worked on their games badges, taking part in five different sports events. Mrs. Kitty French was in charge of this part of the program.

Following the games and events, the Girl Scouts enjoyed a "nose bag" lunch.

It was announced that there would be no meeting this week of the troop and that the next meeting would be held Friday, April 26.

Guests Fly Down to Visit Mrs. Brown

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ENTERTAINERS—The cast which made the Pet Show a week ago a big success. Left to right, Caroline Green, Jaci Sale, Gary Dunlap, Georgene Strebe, Patricia Skilling, Jean Fauch, Beverly Hensley, Jeri Sale, Dorothy Strebe, Raymond Axley, George Strebe, Diana Green, Shirley Dunlap, Patty Henderson, Corrin Strebe, Beverly Axley, Carol Malouf, Marlene Markham, Judy Watlet, Suzan Strebe, Kneeling, LaRayn Buck. (Gayle Studio photo.)



GOT HIS GOAT, TOO—Supreme Court Justice Wendell B. Farris of Vancouver, British Columbia, awards a winning cup to Emogene Jones, 6, and Ethel Mathews, 8, in the "unusual pet" contest for children at the Plaza theater a week ago. (Desert Camera Shop Photo.)

Reservations for Easter Week End Pile Up at Desert Inn as Visitors Come Here for Traditional Services

By MARY WALKER

The impressive and traditional Easter Sunrise Service, which will take place at the white cross on the mountainside above the Desert Inn grounds next Sunday morning as the sun rises over the colorful desert to the east, will mark the climax of Easter season at the Inn.

This is an event eagerly awaited by guests of the Inn, and every year many make reservations far in advance in order to be here for this beautiful mountain ceremony.

HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

A large contingent of visitors from Los Angeles and vicinity have checked in for this holiday week. Among the numerous family groups here are Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Griffith, who, accompanied by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Griffith, and the latter two charming youngsters, Timmie and Stephen, plan to remain at the Inn until after Easter.

Another happy family group, here from Santa Monica, includes Dr. and Mrs. Leo Madsen, with daughter Loralou and son John.

The motion picture colony is represented by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dix, who were joined last Sunday by their three children, Richard, Rob and Sara Sue. Popular Richard and Rob are twins of eleven, while cute little Sara Sue is just seven. This delightful family will also remain at the Inn until after Easter.

FOR SMALL FRY

Of all the events of interest to children during Easter week at the Inn, the most unique will be the outdoor Easter supper-party which will take place this evening. At sunset the children will gather at a beauty spot on the grounds of the Inn, where a delicious dinner will be served them. Johnnie Boyle will be there to sing their favorite cowboy tunes, and, all in all, it is an occasion highly anticipated by the small fry.

The moonlight picnic last Wednesday night was a gay event that will live long in the memory of Desert Inn guests. Riding across the desert by horseback and tallyho, just as the setting sun colored the distant hills, these guests found a dinner awaiting them that did justice to their healthy outdoor appetites. Again popular Johnnie Boyle was there with his guitar and his songs, and after the moon came up and the horses were reluctantly turned toward home, one and all agreed that this event was the highlight of their holiday on the desert.

WEEK'S HONEYMOON

The bride and groom of the week were Corporal and Mrs. Joseph L. Walker, Jr. These two arrived at the Inn this past week complete with "Just Married" signs on their car, and old shoes fastened securely to the rear bumper!

Corporal Walker, a heroic Marine who spent three years in a Japanese prison following the fall of Corregidor, was sent to the Navy Hospital at Corona upon his return to this country. It was here that he met his lovely bride (a native of Merrimac, Mass.), who was a Wave attached to the hospital corps.

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Date Growers Will Meet April 27 for 23rd Institute

The 23rd Date Growers Institute will be held in the Coachella Valley Union High school auditorium Saturday, April 27, commencing at 10:00 a.m., according to H. B. Richardson, assistant county farm advisor.

Arrangements have been made for a lunch to be served in the high school cafeteria at noon and adjournment is anticipated by 4:00 p.m.

According to Richardson, the program of talks will include reports on the Omphalia Root Rot survey, work going forward in the study of beetle infestations, a summary of the Arkell date fertilizer experiment and other topics of timely interest.

All date growers are invited to this meeting.

Museum Schedule

REGULAR HOURS:

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WEDNESDAY, April 24:

Talk by Professor Cockerell. "Take Care of the Desert."

SATURDAY, April 20:

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Gordon Coutts Art School Will Open Here November 1

The art school to be opened November 1, at the Gordon Coutts Art Gallery, is to be a memorial to the late Gordon Coutts, internationally known artist who designed and constructed the Moorish building where the gallery is located.

Gordon Coutts at one time took part in the little art school which was begun here fifteen years ago, and had always maintained that such an institute was of great importance to Palm Springs. The name of Palm Springs' first school of art will be the Gordon Coutts Art School. The faculty will consist of only credited instructors. Arrangements for registration have already been made for students who may attend the first term, beginning November 1.

Patrons who are interested in the establishment of a school of fine arts for Palm Springs, have helped sponsor the Gordon Coutts Art School. The success of many great art schools has depended upon the co-operation and interest of those individuals who have true art appreciation.

Short terms will be of special interest to students who will be visiting Palm Springs for only a month or a few weeks, and a speciality of the opening term will be outdoor painting, which will enable students to enjoy the air and sunlight as well as instruction. Subjects offered are portrait, life, landscape, still-life, and design. Lectures on all art subjects will be given once a week. It is not decided as yet whether sculpture will be included.

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HISTORY MAKERS—Twenty years ago, on April 17, 1926, two men and a tiny plane started the first successful airline in the United States. This week the plane and the men are together again. To honor the twentieth anniversary of their accomplishment, Western Air Lines reconstructed the little biplane which the two pilots used to fly between Los Angeles and Salt Lake City. In the cockpit once more, momentarily forsaking their present jobs as airline executives, C. N. "Jimmie" James (in plane) and Fred Kelly (center, on ground) donned their old-time flying togs and received a huge twentieth anniversary cake from over 300 pilots and stewardesses who are now following in their footsteps in all parts of the West. Towering over the historic M-2 is one of Western Air's new 54-passenger Skymasters, illustrative of the dramatic advances which have been achieved in aviation during the past two decades.

Desert Museum Wins Praise of National Parks

A recent letter received by the director of the Desert Museum, Lloyd Mason Smith, was revealed today to have praised the museum's past activities. The letter was written by Carl P. Russell, the Chief Naturalist for the National Park Service, with headquarters in Chicago, Illinois. Mr. Russell's letter to Mr. Smith follows:

"Through the kindness of James E. Cole, Custodian of the Joshua Tree National Monument, we have received a copy of the first annual report of the Palm Springs Desert Museum. I am prompted to express our interest in the laudable program of research and interpretation which your staff is conducting and I should also like to say that we admire the handsome publication which gives the Palm Springs Desert Museum its first representation in annual report form.

"It would please us very much to visit the Museum. No doubt representatives of the Director's Office of the National Park Service will find it possible to call on you before many months elapse. In the meantime, I hope you will give us a page on your mailing list in order that we may receive future publications. I am especially interested in the informative pictures which appear above the caption 'Disastrous Fire in Palm Canyon.' We felt dismay in the knowledge that fire had swept through the unique Palm Canyon in 1940, but the more recent photograph in your 1946 report indicates this marvelous botanical feature will again claim a place among the wonders of the Southwest.

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Western Air Marks 20th Anniversary of Airmail Service

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APRIL 21-22

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Edward Arnold — Frances Rafferty

News

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY

APRIL 23-24

Errol Flynn — Henry Hull

'Objective Burma'

Cartoon

News

THURSDAY-FRIDAY

APRIL 25-26

Ann Sheridan — Alexis Smith

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SATURDAY

APRIL 27

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APRIL 25-26-27

John Payne — Maureen O'Hara

'Sentimental Journey'

News

Selected Shorts

Cartoon

Wildflowers

The tower at the Oasis hotel is covered with the splendid yellow flowers of the Bignonia Tweedy-anna, and in the garden may be seen the Orchid trees in full bloom, one white, the other pink. These trees have flowers superficially like orchids, but actually they belong to the pea family, and their fruits are pods like those of a pea. These trees grow in the jungles of Siam. They are easily recognized by the broad notched leaves. The botanical name is Bauhinia, after John and Casper Bauhin, botanists of the sixteenth century.

As the spring advances, the mountains adjacent to Palm Springs are full of beautiful flowers, quite different from those found on the floor of the desert. One of the best known of these, with fine yellow flowers, is now shown in the museum. It is the bush poppy, Dendromecon rigida; a genuine poppy, but forming a shrub. It was described in 1834 from plants grown in England from seeds collected by the famous botanical explorer, David Douglas. This fine plant is entirely restricted to California.

An interesting plant of the Sunflower family, found on the lower slopes of our mountains, is the California Tixis, a bushy shrub with lance-shaped leaves and heads of yellow flowers, the corollas all two-lipped. Although it is known as the California Tixis, it extends eastward to Arizona and New Mexico, and was originally described (in 1863) from Cedros Island, off the coast of Lower California. It belongs to a genus of about 35 species. This is not a good flower year, but driving in the desert there are many stretches of beautiful verbenas (Abronia) and primroses, encelia and desert sunflowers, and in the canyons the chuperosa (sucker of the rose—humming bird flower) is aflame with blossoms. This shrub has a long blossoming period, furnishing food for the humming birds from mid-January until May. Probably without this plant, Costa and black-chin could not nest in this area.

Recently Mrs. Barker brought in a very interesting little plant, Fagonia Chilensis. Jaeger recommends the genus name as the common name. Fagonia, related to the Creosote bush, has a very wide distribution in related forms found in South America, the Mediterranean region and Africa.

**Brownies to Stage
Week End Party in
Place of Meeting**

Brownies of Troop 1 will have a week-end party instead of their next regular meeting, it was announced today. They will meet at the Girl Scout house at 3 p. m. next Friday and will go for a hike, which will end at the home of their leader, Mrs. B. H. Poliak. A wienie roast will follow the hike and the girls will camp that night in the yard at the Poliak home. Saturday morning, following breakfast, which the girls will prepare, there will be games until 11 o'clock, when the party will end.

All girls taking part must have their parents' written consent. In charge of the event will be Mrs. E. French, Mrs. E. Markham, Mrs. E. Wagner, and Mrs. F. Crocker.

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**Knight Committee
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A committee to back the candidacy of Judge Goodwin J. Knight for the lieutenant governorship of California, has been formed in Palm Springs and is now functioning preparatory to the June 4 primaries.

Earl Coffman is chairman of the committee and other members include John R. E. Chaffey, Florian Boyd, Mrs. Austin McManus, Mrs. James Whitehorn, Mrs. Melba Bennett, Miss Muriel Fulton, Gordon Peekings, Fred Ingram, Francis F. Crocker, Raymond Cree, Barney Hinkle, Armand Turronet, Eugene E. Theriault, R. F. Graettinger, M. R. Medby, John W. Williams, Stanley Rosin, Dr. Robert Backstrom, Charles Farrell, Elliott M. Bank, M. A. Charleston, Lloyd Simon, Roy W. Colegate, Carl Barkow.

The committee was formed at a meeting at the Desert Inn recently. Judge Knight, a classmate of Jimmy Doolittle of Tokyo bombing fame, is expected down here prior to the primaries to address the local group.

**Boyd Addresses
Banning Council**

Assemblyman Philip L. Boyd this week conferred with members of the Banning city council on taxation matters.

He discussed city and state taxes and also the matter of taking a special census in Banning to equalize that city's share of state allocations due to an increase in population since the 1940 federal census.

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The photograph of the Bishop, inscribed in his own handwriting, blessed Mrs. Davis and family. The friendship between this high officer of the Catholic church and Mrs. Davis had its beginning many years ago. It was during the time Mrs. Davis was the moving spirit behind the construction of the present rectory adjoining "Our Lady of Solitude". The original Circus Week was planned with the object of raising funds with which to construct this rectory. Mrs. Davis has been an active member of the church here for many years, and she and Bishop Buddy never fail to see each other on his rare visits to this community.



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St. Paul's Guild To Meet Thursday

Members of the Guild of St. Paul's in the Desert, Episcopal church, will meet Thursday at 10 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Will Browne, 469 Camino del Sur. Members are asked to bring sandwiches. Many matters of importance are scheduled to be discussed.

from this community now total \$1,091.31.

Early in February the newly organized "Village Woman's Club" of Desert Hot Springs, with Miss Maxine Maze, President, volunteered sponsorship of the drive. A Forty-niner's Day and Evening highlighted the benefit festivities and the usual house to house solicitation was made by club members who gave generously of their time.

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In winning the singles finals, Perry defeated Carl Earn, southpaw, who recently turned professional. The latter drew most of the attention due to his unorthodox way of playing and the spectacular way in which he fought his way through the old-time pro players to reach the finals.

HAS HARD TASK

Perry, however, did not have the deciding matches his own way. In order to win, he had to overcome a two-set lead in favor of Earn. The third set, too, was in doubt for sometime, with only the difference of one point separating Perry or Earn from victory. But Perry's long experience at the game, and as professional, finally counted, with the third set ending at 7 to 5. Later he was to tire the younger player to end with a final score for the two remaining sets at 8-6 and 6-3.

Earn and Howard fought hard throughout the doubles matches, winning over all opposition until they met their masters in William Crosby and Jack Jossi. The latter two won three straight sets in the finals, with the score at 11-9, 7-5, and 8-6. Throughout the week's playing Earn's downward slash in serving with his left hand had most of his opponents on edge but they were able to fathom his style in the end.

STILL GOING STRONG

"Big Bill" Tilden, who because of his great career furnishes the greatest drama and punch during any tournaments he plays in, was out of the running early during the games here. To all those present, it certainly looked like old Bill couldn't keep pace of the younger men who faced him. Nevertheless, his mastery of the game carried him through until Friday when he was wiped out of both the singles and doubles matches.

Friday's games decided who the players would be in the finals. During the singles matches that day, Richard Skeen defeated Robert Brown, 6-2, 6-4. William Crosby won over John Howard, 6-4, 6-2. Carl Earn bested Ray Hines, 6-0, 6-1. Jack Jossi took George Hudson for a score of 6-1 and 6-2. Perry climbed to the finals here by defeating Robert Harmon, 7-5, 6-3. Gene Mako wiped Bill Tilden out of the running by defeating him, 6-7, 6-2. Mako fought it out with Skeen for third place in the finals and won.

The doubles matches found Bill Tilden paired with Howard Skeen winning against Hines and Hudson with the score at 6-0, 7-5. The winners of this match were defeated by Earn and Howard.

Be Smart... Relax at the Movies



SURPRISE!—Sure you don't know her. But it's Melba Bennett in the costume which won her a prize for the most humorous costume at the Big Top Ball during Circus Week. (Bernard of Hollywood photo.)

New Araby Trail Construction Ordered Started

Desert Riders have ordered the construction of a new trail in the Araby district following recent paving of the road there.

The action was taken after several horsemen had churned up the new surfacing on the road.

J. E. Riddle, representing the residents of the district, and Frank Bennett, Desert Rider leader, conferred and decided on the change to protect the paving.

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La Quinta Hotel

La Quinta Hotel was a section of Hollywood this week with many from the film capital sunning themselves on the desert, far away from the gossip columns.

The Joans were well represented with Joan Crawford and children, Christina and Christopher, also Joan Davis and daughter.

Honeymooning were Boris Karloff and wife, recently wed at Boulder City.

Mrs. M. Goff represented the radio section of the La Quinta hotel colony. Husband, the Abner of Lum and Abner, will be down to join her soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Davies of San Francisco are down to absorb a little tan and, also on the guest list were Mr. and Mrs. James Crosswell and Tom Hall, the latter a director of the Hollywood Roosevelt.

The Aviation Country Club Tour will again make the La Quinta hotel and airport their goal on April 26, staying over until the 27th. They were at La Quinta hotel last in October, on one of their week-end tours. Thirty planes are expected on the forthcoming tour.

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Local NAA Group Plans Busy Dinner Meeting Tuesday

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Plans for the various breakfast

flights expected to arrive April 23 will be discussed.

Bill Orwin of Western Air Lines will speak to the group on the 20th anniversary of W.A.L., which is being celebrated this week.

Norm Granger, president of the local chapter, urged all members to attend, as many important business matters will come up.

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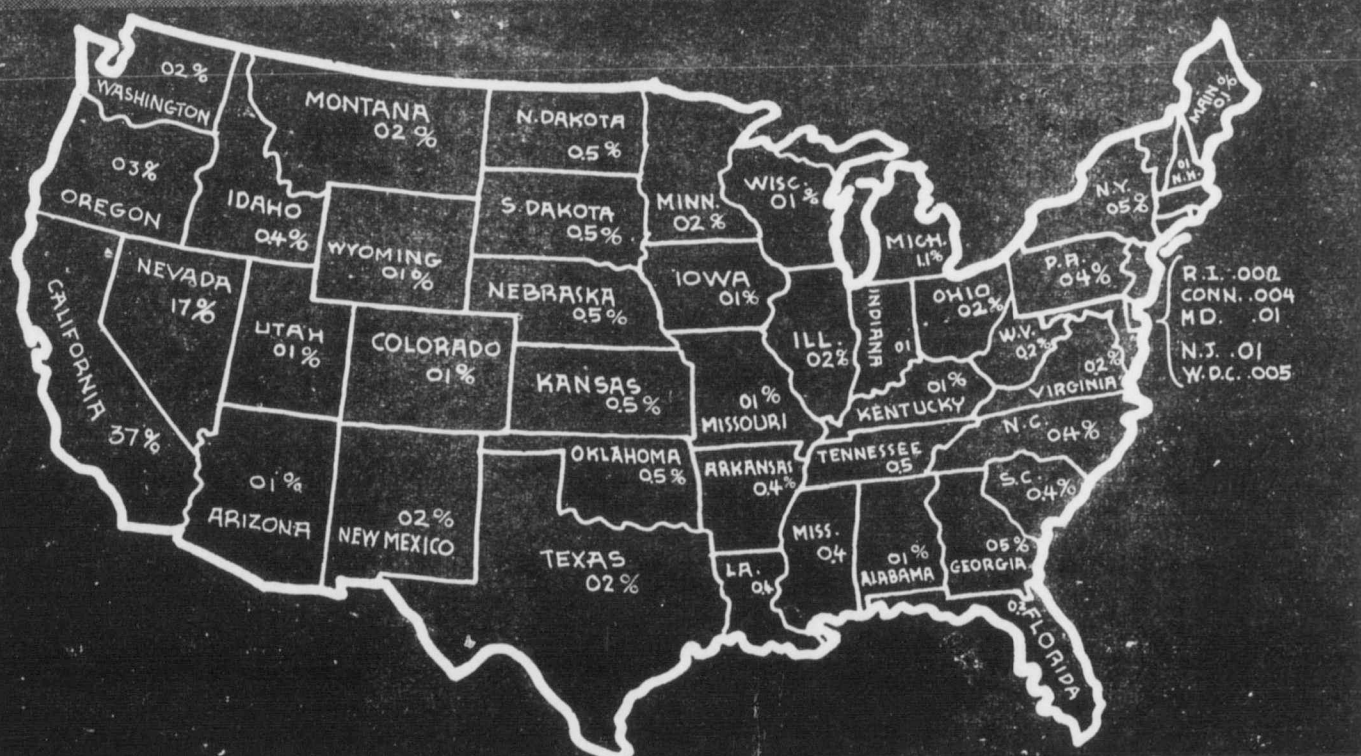
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Easter service at Community church is expected to fill that edifice to overflowing and the recently installed public address system will carry the beautiful service to the throngs of worshippers inside and outside of the building.

All four choirs of the church will be in the Processional and take part in the service. The Junior Singers, the Blue Nightingales, the Chapel Choir and the Chancel choir will all be heard during the services.

Dr. J. R. Macartney, pastor, will deliver the Easter sermon.

Members will be received into the church and the Sacrament of Baptism administered at the close of the 11 a.m. service.

The Easter offering will be devoted to the "Restoration Fund," a concerted effort on the part of all churches in America to aid the churches and pastors and families overseas who have suffered in the recent world war.

Preceding the 11 a.m. service, at 9:45 a.m., Sunday School children will receive recognition gifts. Mrs. William Veith, superintendent, has arranged a special program for the occasion.

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Easter Services From Catholic Church Will Be Broadcast Sunday Over KCMJ

Easter services at "Our Lady of Solitude" Sunday will be featured with the broadcast of a special program over radio station KCMJ from 9:30 to 10 p.m., according to Monsignor Wekenman, acting pastor. Outstanding event of the evening will be the debut of that Catholic church's choir before the microphone.

MORE ABOUT . . .

Sunrise Service . . .

ranged by Howard Ames, of Thermal.

Through arrangements with Clinton Jones, manager of KCMJ, the program on the hillside will be broadcast over the entire Pacific Coast by Columbia Broadcasting system.

Miss Ruth Ashcroft of the High School will have a group she has trained take part in the musical program. The fanfare for the trumpet trio was written by Gustav Patzner.

HAY TO SPEAK

Bill Hay, nationally known as the "Radio Voice", will recite verses from Van Dyke's "God of the Open Air".

Lois Lux, organist at the Community church and accompanist in many previous Easter services, will play her own arrangement of "The Old Rugged Cross", in accompaniment for female voices. "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?" will be sung by a male quartet.

All of the staging equipment was secured by Fay Brainard, and the public address amplifying system has been installed by Ted Reed, of Reed's Radio Shop, on Palm Canyon drive.

FULL PROGRAM

The program for the services is as follows:
Trio, "The Old Rugged Cross", Rev. George Bennard.

Release of white winged birds. Opening remarks by announcer.

Hymn: "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today, Alleluia; Sons of God and Angels say: Alleluia; Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia; Sing ye heav'n's, and earth, reply, Alleluia."

Invocation, Rev. John Robertson Macartney.

Antem, "Sunrise on Easter Morning" (W. B. Olds), The United Singers of Palm Springs.

Vocal solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple" (Knapp), Prof. Alexander Hammond.

Reading from "God of the Open Air" (Van Dyke), Bill Hay.

Antem, "In the End of the Sabbath" (Oley Speaks), The United Singers of Palm Springs.

The Easter Message, Rev. John Robertson Macartney, D. D.

Hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name", choir and congregation.

"Let Angels prostrate fall; Bring forth the royal diadem And crown Him Lord of all. Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all."

Benediction.
Musical director, Holly Lash Visel, Accompanist, Lois Lux. Soloist, Prof. Alexander Hammond.

Trio, Violet Fowler, Mildred Wagner, Holly Visel.

MEMBERS OF THE CHOIR
Members of the choir are as follows:

Sopranos: Cherie Mashburn, Edna Lux, Barbara Croft, Helen Gustafson, Grace Davies, Hazel Henderson, Mrs. Richard Huntan, Ida Keeney, DeRugh Brainard, Mrs. James Newman, Maud McQuillan, Dorothy Sonetto, Mrs. Mathew Hennes, Lillian McFadden, Nancy Nye, Dorothy Smith, Dulcie Hoover, Violet Knapp, Mrs. Ray Lancaster, Mrs. "Hal" Miller.

Altos: Helen Emery, Sylvia Chaney, Lucille McCulloch, Leona Markham, Ellis Gottbueh, Ora Windhurst, Viola Jones, Esther Driskell, D'Esta Williams, Katherine Finchy, Gretchen Wright, Barbara Thompson.

Second Sopranos: Violet Fowler, Caroline McCulloch, Antoinette Romatko, Faye Robinson, Sally Robinson, Patricia Fowler, Elaine Purnell, Dorothy Winter, Mildred Welch Wagner, Hazel Veith, Julia Behling, Marlene Watlet, Marjorie Porter, Mary Jo Graefe, Audrey Benisen.

Tenors: George Rohrbach, Tex Driskell, Dale Staley, Don Michael, Robert Grenzow, Hal Miller, Walter Larsen.

Basses: Alexander Hammond, George Davies, Fred Morrison, Frank Doro, William Lux, Donald Hainer, Thomas Archer, Richard Huntan, Billy Sandeffer, William Veith, E. W. Emery.

This choir, which has been under the direction of Mrs. Peg Rashall, has in the short period of time it has officiated at services in "Our Lady of Solitude", received wide congratulations from distant Catholic churches, whose officers have heard them.

Recently, Bishop Charleston Buddy, of San Diego, publicly commended the choir for its versatility and quality of music in the rendition of sacred songs. Monsignor Wekenman has on many occasions expressed his thankfulness in having such a well trained choir assisting musically in masses and other religious services.

Particular praise has been heaped upon Mrs. August Kettmann, organ accompanist. Every member of the choir, it is said, have given up many of their free hours from daily tasks to come to the church and practice.

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COMMUTING DISTANCE TO PALM SPRINGS

The airport Highway (Ramon Road) is scheduled for completion of paving in the summer of this year connecting Highway 99, at Thousand Palms Post Office, with Palm Springs by a ten-minute drive. The County Road from Highway 99, two and one-half miles, will be improved later.

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Profusion of Flowers and Music Makes Final Meeting of Season of Woman's Club One of Most Delightful of Year

By MRS. JOHN S. LAPP

This season's final meeting of the Palm Springs Woman's Club was held amid a profusion of flowers on display for the annual Flower Show, on Monday last.

New appointments among the officers were announced: Mrs. Harold Murphy is replacing Mrs. Guy Pinney, who has resigned the vice-presidency because of her recent bereavement. Mrs. Jack Williams and Mrs. Harold Lineau are to be co-chairmen of refreshment committee; Mrs. George Mannington, hospitality chairman; and Mrs. Florence Glass will handle the decorations again.

BACK SCOUTS

The club members voted to back the Girl Scouts to the extent of \$1,000 a year for two years in their purchase of the land where their house is now located. Mrs. Arthur Bailey, head of the Girl Scout Council, thanked the members for this help.

A brief talk by Mrs. Pankratz, former president of the Riverside County Federation of Women's Clubs, told of the founding of our club, and congratulated the members on its growth.

Miss Helen Eadie, flower stylist who has recently returned from a tour of Mexico and Guatemala, where she acted as guest artist for the Pan-American Garden

Club, announced the winners in the day's flower show and discussed some of the more unusual arrangements. Co-judge with Miss Eadie was Mrs. Georgia Freeman, painter, of Indio. Mrs. Hetty Dudley, who was to have been a judge, was unable to serve because of illness.

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

Two groups of songs by the Palm Springs Women's Trio: Mrs. Violet Phelps Fowler, Mrs. Mildred Welch Wagner, Mrs. Holly Lash Visel, with Mrs. Lois Lux as pianist and arranger, was a charming addition to the program.

"Let There Be Song" (Klem); "I Love You", Song of Norway, (Grieg); "June Is Busting Out All Over" (Carousell), (Rodgers and Hammerstein); "When I Have Sung My Songs to You" (Charles).

As an encore, to the tune of "I've Been Workin' on the Railroad", "I've Been Ridin' on the Tramway", lyrics by Mrs. John Robertson Macartney.

This popular group of women singers have made a place for themselves in Palm Springs entertainment circles, and, as they are all members of the Woman's Club, they took pleasure in entertaining the members at this time.

FLOWER AWARDS

Winners in the Flower Show were: Sweepstakes: Floral lamps, Mrs. Fay Brainerd.

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Naomi Fern Jones; 3rd prize, Mrs. Gordon Nicholson.

Pansies: 1st prize, Mrs. Perle W. Martin; 2nd prize, Mrs. Harrison Leussler; 3rd prize, Mrs. Emil Wagner.

Figurines and Flowers: 1st prize, Mrs. Perle W. Martin; 2nd prize, Mrs. Perle W. Martin; 3rd prize, Mrs. Gordon Nicholson; special award, Mrs. Raymond R. Wilson.

Miscellaneous: 1st prize, Mrs. Frank Cutler; 2nd prize, Mrs. Perle W. Martin; 3rd prize, Mrs. Samuel Taylor; special award, Mrs. Martin.

Roses: 1st prize, Mrs. Emil Wagner; 2nd prize, Mrs. Harrison Leussler; special award, Mrs. Leussler.

Petunias: 1st prize, Miss Teresa Fields; 2nd prize, no name; 3rd prize, Mrs. P. W. Martin.

Mixed Flowers: 1st prize, Mrs. George S. McClure; 2nd prize, Mrs. Samuel Taylor; 3rd prize, Mrs. J. R. Macartney.

Cala Lilies: 1st prize, Mrs. Naomi Fern Jones; 2nd prize, Mrs. John Hormel.

Snapdragons: 1st prize, Mrs. C. F. Shearer; 2nd prize, Mrs. N. F. Jones; 3rd prize, Mrs. Samuel Taylor.

Wildflowers: 1st prize, Mrs. Faye Robinson; 2nd prize, Mrs. Faye Robinson; 3rd prize, Mrs. Myron V. Wilson.

Dry Arrangements: 1st prize, Miss Bernice Lamb; special award, Mrs. Raymond R. Wilson. Tea chairman for the day was Mrs. Frank Cutler.

"Come, on, Bill, just a couple more before we drive home," is often a prelude to serious injury or death, declares the Public Safety Department of the National Automobile Club in warning motorists who must drink to stay away from the wheel of a car.

Be Smart... Relax at the Movies

Alschuler Home Scene of Party For Chicagoans

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Alschuler were hosts at a barbecue party at their home, 420 Santa Rosa road, last week in honor of their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Freeman of Chicago.

Mr. Freeman is an attorney and a director in the Sentinel Radio corporation, Mr. Alschuler's firm. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Callan, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shore, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Baer, and Haskell Frank of Chicago. The Baers are the cartoonists who produce "Toodles" and "The Nebs".

Mr. and Mrs. Alschuler are going to San Francisco on business and will return to the Village on April 24.

PEDESTRIAN SAFETY

On the roadways outside business or residential districts pedestrians must face oncoming traffic by walking on the left hand side of the road, declares the Public Safety Department of the National Automobile Club.

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Banning Women Guests Here at Luncheon Event

It was a gay group of friends from Banning which gathered at a beautifully appointed luncheon in the Spanish room at the Desert Inn this week to honor Mrs. Charles Pankratz, a former resident of Banning, who has been visiting at the Inn.

Guests at the delightful affair included Mesdames C. O. Barker, A. L. Bramkamp, D. A. Innes, Guy T. Woodworth, Howard A. Osborn, DeRoy H. Gates, Ralph Fell, Charles E. McClean, George L. Wing, E. L. Robertson, James Geggie, Frederick Wing, Charles Hamilton, Harry Searl and John Stewart.

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2 tbsp. lemon juice 1 egg, beaten
1 1/2 c. water 1 c. soft bread crumbs
1/4 tsp. paprika 1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 c. chopped or sliced green olives

Cut meat in 3" squares. Fry bacon until crisp, mix with crumbs, egg, seasoning and lemon juice. Spread mixture on veal, roll and fasten with toothpicks. Brown in hot fat, add water and simmer 1 hour. Add olives to gravy.

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Palm Springs High School Smoke Signal

Soccer Still Top Sport During P. E. As Softball Fades

By HERB MENNELL

Soccer is still master of the field. The P.E. classes converted to touch football for a few days but soccer was still in popular demand so the classes reconverted back to soccer.

The soccer game is a little weak on men for the majority of the men are trying out for track, that is, shot put, pole vault, various dashes and other activi-

ON THE WARPATH

By ED WILLS

Two games last week, one Tuesday and the other Thursday, rounded out the E.R.C.L. softball loop. The Maroon and White played fine ball Tuesday to smack down Banning and again enter the race for league championship. But hopes were smashed, as Beaumont hit the ball all over the lot on Thursday to crowd us into second place.

The boys who won hard-earned letters for softball were: Seniors, Joe Brummitt and Art Jurado; Juniors, Tom Archer, Richard

ties which come under the heading of track.

Of late most of the class periods are spent in calisthenics and running the track. In calisthenics Coach Thompson has devised the most devilish methods in which to turn the human body, but he says it will develop unused muscles. As for track, most of the students are running two laps.

Softball is now out, with the last game having been played Thursday, April 11, in which Beaumont ran over Palm Springs. This was the last softball game of this year or years to come. The East Riverside League will join the West Riverside League next year and play baseball.

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Open House Event Attracts Throngs To Visit School

By BARBARA JONES

The Open House, held Thursday, April 11, turned out to be a complete success with the largest group of parents attending in the school history. The purpose of the occasion was to bring the teachers and parents together to become acquainted so that the teachers may better understand the students and this in itself was successful.

The program for the parents consisted of a skit by the junior class, "The Juke Family," formerly given by the class at the junior assembly; a panel discussion on the problem of the season, "Should Student Elections be held in the Spring or Fall?"; the speakers, John Klug, senior; Ralph Woodward, junior; Mort Goldberg, sophomore, and Barbara Jones, freshman; a fashion show, presented by the sewing classes; and a scene from the senior class play to be presented May 10. The music department was especially well-represented with two numbers from the school orchestra, directed by Mrs. Dorothy Smith, and songs in the light classical theme by the girls' glee club, directed by Miss Ruth Ashcroft. A solo was well done by Don Michael.

The participants of the program did a fine job and were favorably commented upon throughout the remainder of the evening. The exhibits in the various classrooms showed excellent work by the students and the parents were well satisfied with what they saw.

Refreshments were served in the school cafeteria by the cooking class and were appreciated by everyone who was fortunate enough to find punch. The punch proved to be so delicious that it was gone in no time. Some mothers even went back for the recipe.

This year's Open House was well-planned and much credit goes to Mrs. Moya Henderson, chairman; Miss Elizabeth Farrar and Mr. Irving Sussman. It was especially gratifying to the teachers to have so many parents interested enough in their children to come to meet them.

Good news! The girls' gym has finally been cleaned! Amid the heap of shorts and blouses, Mrs. Moya Henderson has given a desperate cry for everyone to come and rescue her belongings. At last, our wish has come true. We have found a volleyball. The long hoped-for item was found in the office where we didn't think of looking until now. Our old volleyball had a fast leak and we were always filling it every few minutes which didn't help the game. We would run to Coach, run to the boys' gym, fill it, and then run back to play furiously before it would give way again.

While we are still on the subject of volleyball, remember, volleyball Tuesdays and Thursdays. Watch the bulletin for any changes.

The G.A.A. had a swell time skating Wednesday after being cordially invited by Nellie Coffman school. They played Easter games and even hockey on roller skates. Because of the party, G. A. A. was cancelled that day, but remember next Wednesday. Come out and support your team in baseball.

We are still pleading for a pool. Won't anyone oblige? We finally became generous and gave out new birdies for badminton after the old ones decided to take wing.

We have placed an order for new ping pong balls and hope to get them before the end of school. If we don't, we will be assured of having new ones for next year. So long for now.

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Student Poll

By HAL MINTZ

"Should the student body constitution of PSHS be changed?" This was the question asked in the fourth student body poll held Friday, April 12. The poll was officially sponsored by the Student Council and its adviser, Mr. Henry Greeley and was conducted by Hal Mintz.

The student body voted overwhelmingly in favor of a spring election. It is also in favor of letting the Freshmen vote even though they will still be newcomers to the school.

Knowing the general opinion of the members of the student body, the Student Council will be better informed when they must make the final decision in the near future.

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Survey Reveals Great Growth of Local High School

By HAL MINTZ

Concrete evidence that the high school has been growing and that this growth has accelerated in the last year is presented in a table Dr. E. E. Oertel compiled this week to support a priority application for a new school building.

The table was released to members of the journalism class, although it was prepared for a Washington governmental agency. It is presented here:

Total Enrollment	Average Daily Attendance
1938-1939	113
1939-1940	127.35
1940-1941	157.28
1941-1942	160.82
1942-1943	164.47
1943-1944	151.73
1944-1945	174.98
1945-1946	210
(As of 4-3-46)	(Estimated)

The figures compiled from state records show a consistent growth in the population of the local high school. The slightly lower figures reported for the school 1943-44, Dr. Oertel explained, was due to a heavy dropout of boys for military service.

The local high school was designed to accommodate a maximum of 200 pupils.

According to other portions of Dr. Oertel's report, the current school year has called for a maximum of 236 pupil stations. It has been necessary to purchase extra chairs, overcrowd regular classrooms, and it has also been necessary to conduct a regular class in the school office due to the lack of classrooms.

If new houses continue to be constructed in Palm Springs at the rate they are now being provided, the school can reasonably expect an increase of 50 to 150 students next September. Unless there are additional classrooms, it is highly probable that classes will be held outside until temporary quarters can be erected. Dr. Oertel also disclosed that work on the new building will start within ten days.

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Freshman Fling

By ADELE WOODS

Monday, April 7, the freshmen gave a fine program for the Girls' League meeting despite the fact that they made it up at the last minute. The program consisted of songs and poems. Mary Louise sang "All of My Life" and Pat sang "Personality" (naturally). Audrey and Nancy Nye recited poems. I am sure it was interesting to all the listeners.

I have noticed that the Tennis Club is the meeting place for most of the members of the freshman class during the week-ends. Saturday, Jack Hooke, Nicky Nichols, Ben Chaffey and Tommy Luke were running back and forth picking up all the balls for the tennis matches being held this week-end. By the way, they did it in the boiling sun. Score baths were: Barbara Jones shadowed by Joey (who seemed to be enjoying himself), Betty Wright and Adele Woods. They were having fun getting a sunburn and other things.

Barbara Jones gave a very good speech concerning the elections in the spring at the open house last Thursday. The freshman class is very proud of her and wish to congratulate her on maintaining her point.

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May We Introduce...

By JEANNETTE OFSTHUN

This week's blonde bombshell hails from Houston, Texas. However, she has spent quite awhile in Palm Springs. A member of the senior class, she is 5 ft. 5 1/2 in. tall and weighs 123 lbs. Her blue eyes match beautifully with her flaxen hair.

By the time she is an adult, she should be a full-fledged writer. That's what she wants to be, and no doubt she will, since most of her friends say her writing is good material. We hear she never gets lower than A in English.

One thing she absolutely won't put up with is artificiality in any form. From people who "put on" to false eyelashes. She loves to hike and listen to classical music. As for men, she says, "It's personality that I go for, not looks." Straight, clean-cut men are for her.

She doesn't have any special preferences in clothes, as long as they are comfortable and good-looking. "Clothes for the occasion" is her motto.

Around the campus she is usually seen with Phyllis, Joyce and Duley. Sure 'nuff, you guessed it. Erica Orth is the name. If you want her telephone number, you'll have to ask for it.

Senior man of the week (Well, he is a reasonable facsimile of one) was born in a little hick town in Michigan. However, he is no hick. On the contrary, he's quite a smooth operator. 6 ft. 2 in., he weighs 170 lbs. and has green eyes (the jealous type, no doubt). His hair is dark brown.

What an ambition he has! To find a date. Maybe he means an extra special date, like with Lana Turner or somebody as impossible. Who knows? We do know that his favorite occupation is a "real good date". During his spare time he likes to loaf and have fun, a typical P.S.H.S. student.

"I like good looking sport pants and nice sweaters," quotes the mystery man (I'd rather have a naughty sweater, wouldn't you?). His favorite record is "Sing, Sing, Sing."

If you are a girl and a sloppy one, you won't even get halfway to first base with him, 'cause he can't stand sloppy girls. He is just too darn particular. When asked what kind of girls he does prefer, he says, "I can't put it into words." He probably knows what he's thinking, anyway.

The only unusual thing about this boy (man, I mean) is the fact that he is commissioner of boys' athletics. Shucks, he doesn't even have any birthmarks, that I know of. Give up? My gosh, you must

Incoming Students

By RICHARD LANGE

We have new students arriving every day in spite of the fact that we have only six weeks of school left.

We have a girl student from Tacoma, Washington. She is now sixteen years old and entered our school as a junior. She was born in Seattle, Washington, and moved later to Tacoma, where she attended Tacoma High School. It is easy to recognize her for she is short, about 5 ft. 2 in., has long wavy brunette hair, brown eyes and a shapely figure. Meet Barbara Smith.

You know the next person, for this boy attended our school the first of the year. He is easily recognized as he has dark hair, brown eyes, 5 ft. 7 in. Without further ado — welcome back Chuck Whisenand.

What If—

By HAL MINTZ

Jay were Hold-his-woman instead of Holderman.

Marjorie were Conductor instead of Porter.

Bob were Arrow instead of Dart.

Bob were Electrolux instead of Hoover.

Morris were Buy instead of Sale.

John were Piano instead of Harp.

Mort were Lorraine instead of Algae (If you don't catch on to this—read your history).

What's Cookin'?

By RICHARD LANGE

Friday, April 19: School Holiday, Good Friday.

Monday, April 22, to Thursday, April 25: Club meetings.

Friday, April 26: Special assembly sponsored by Father Wekenman, Junior-Senior Prom, Desert Inn.

Typographical errors that gray the hair of the proofreader, and improperly worded copy that makes veteran advertising men shudder are good for many a chuckle for readers of classified newspaper advertising. Here are some recent examples:

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be stupid or something. The person sold described to you is none other than that renowned basketball player, Jay Thomas Peterson.

GAZOOZIT

Here we go again, kids—no likee?

Orchids to the junior class from the senior class for one of the best dances given this year. We hope the profits will go toward a better-than-ever prom. Noted between dances were seniors DeLorse and Bobby (he might as well be one, he's in the column every week), Joanne and Joe, Julie and Cal (he's a Canadian sailor), Whitey and Virginia, Klug and Shelley, Jenny and Dee Davis (how do you spell a long, low growl?), Gillar and Ann. We also saw Bill Oakman and Vivian dancing.

Saturday night was the happiest night of the week for "Lover Boy" Hoover. His one and only Bea arrived for Easter vacation. She brought two cute gals, Peggy and Val, with her. How discouraging for us girls. Our ole school chum, Carol Linde, is now paying us one of her annual visits. Glad to see ya back again, Carol. We saw C. J. and Wilson, Hook and Carey, DeLorse and Bill Jekel in the show. We also saw Line and Ed, Julie and Cal, and Hooey and Bea elsewhere.

Sunday, Carol (Burket, that is) returned from a week-end in North Hollywood, bringing with her Donna Ryan (hang onto your men, girls). After C. E., Julie and Whitey, Cal and Hook, Linde and Ed decided to go to the show.

Sorry there's no more to write about, but that's not our fault, so we remain yours with "puddles of passion", the "Goldust Twins".

Sure do wish we could get out of school at 12:30 every day. It was great fun going up to Scorpion Thursday and getting out in the sun. It's going to be a contest between the girls to see who can get the best tan before school is out. Some of the girls basking in the sun were LoLo, Joanne, Bonnie Sue, Les Wamsley (exception), Shirley, Jeannette, Virginia, Whitey (another exception). All were piled in Les's car on the way up. That car can really take the bumps. It only bounces about two feet off the ground. Only it isn't Les's car any more; it belongs to Chuck Neimtz now.

The way I heard it, Galzy gave it to Les, Les made it, Runy and Les sold it to Chuck. The name of this gas buggy is Be-Baba-Leba (with a really vout motor).

Have you noticed all the tourists in town? It's getting so bad you can't even walk down the street without a gang of out-of-town he or she-wolves trailing you. There were three boys from Fairfax who parked their sleeping bags on the front lawn of our alma mater Saturday night and stayed until they were awakened by the cops in the wee hours of dawn.

The Junior Cotton and Cord dance was the event of the evening Friday night for some people. Others couldn't make it. Of the few who went there were Chuck and Bette, Phyllis and Paul, Miller and Pendry, Dianne, Barbara Beeton and Don Michael,

LoLo and Linkletter. Mort had some fun beating Michael's time.

Saturday night featured the dance at Desert Hot Springs. Les Wogburg and Barbara Beeton, McKinney with Les's sister, Jack Weingartner and a friend of Les's sister, Virginia and Chuck N. Candy and Whitey, Taylor and Wamsley.

Come Sunday and up to Scorpion again. Sunday night, to the show, "The Virginian", were all kinds of people, including Jack W., with his girl, Paul K. and Candy, Les and Bonnie.

Did you know that Tom Archer ran a cleat into his toe at the track meet Saturday? Tsk! Tsk! One of those freak accidents, no doubt.

The dance Friday night brought some of our freshmen out of hiding. Now, wasn't it fun? See what you've been missing! Will and Nancy (natch), Jane and Cootie Rake, Mary Katherine and Dewey all triple dated. Why is it Wills always gets stuck with driving? Why doesn't someone else get a car? Oh, bloody mess! Brush, please be careful, the upholstery, you know! Poor Cootie, what a time for a bloody nose. Saturday found Jane, Nancy and Dixie swimming out at the field. Thanks to Jane! Not much swimming because we were trying to get a tan. Saturday night the C. E. of the Community church gave a weinie roast at the sand dunes. But we found it a little too sandy and windy. No one appreciated my lemonade (me? Nancy? guess I didn't put enough sugar in).

Guess where Mable was? Getting her teeth fixed, no doubt.

Sunday Jane and Dewey and Jim and Nancy went swimming at The Oasis. And speaking of Jim and Nan—are they or aren't they? I wonder? We enjoyed having the Episcopal C. E. down and we'd like to have you again. We hope you enjoyed yourselves too. Mable made a swell yell leader.

Elanor has her up and down (literally). Is it Shorty or Glenn? Be sure you don't make any mistakes now.

I guess Jackie Kingsbury is a little excited. Who wouldn't be if his sister was going to be married Easter Sunday. Jackie seems awfully nervous.

Mr. Anthony, Mary Katherine has a problem. Was she or wasn't she? (Why not write to "Advice to the Lovelorn"?)

Sandra was at the "Cotton and Cord" dance with Morty. Adele and Conrad make a nice couple. (Why don't we do this more often?) Barbara and Joey as usual, and say, Joey, why don't you get Bobby a nice steady girl like you have? Connie and Nicky seemed to enjoy themselves. What was in the punch? That's our only complaint; otherwise the dance was super. Not very many freshmen at the track meet; but lots of fun.

Millions of girl-wives in India are less than 15 years of age.

There are men whose manners have the same essential splendor as the simple and awful sculpture on the friezes of the Parthenon. —Ralph Waldo Emerson.

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Bassett Given Big Ovation by Legion for Work on Fund

Legionnaire C. S. Bassett, 50, of Palm Springs, better known as "Cap Lucky", member of the Owen Coffman Post of the American Legion here, was given a standing ovation at a meeting of his organization Tuesday night at the Three Musketeers cafe. He was applauded as one of the hardest workers during the Circus Week drive for funds, to be used in the construction of a World Wars Memorial building here.

His achievement in getting around the Village on one leg and a crutch, and despite this handicap still be able to raise approximately \$3,500, was considered remarkable. "Cap Lucky" lost his leg during the first World War while fighting for Uncle Sam in France to make the world safe for democracy. He, like many of his comrades of that world's conflict, were to see the Yanks sweep over France again and into Germany in another attempt to make the world safe for democracy.

BUSY AT COLLEGES

But "Cap" is not bitter for having lost his leg in vain. After the first World War he entered Rutgers University. He later graduated from the University of California Landscape School. He is considered a qualified city planner. While at U.S.C. he took up and mastered gymnastics, winning three university letters. He became so proficient in gymnastics, he later turned to vaudeville as an acrobat. Later he was to give up the stage and became an educator. He taught in grade schools, junior and senior high schools; and his last 13 years of work in that field was as principal of a New Jersey school with 600 pupils and a 20-teacher faculty.

Through all of this period "Cap Lucky" studied nights and acquired a master's degree in educational philosophy. He also has a degree in law, securing that title from the Mercer Beasley Law School in 1937.

Cap has retired from school work for sometime now due to failing hearing and other disabilities. He calls Palm Springs his home town, and has been coming here every season since 1938.

Many will remember Cap Lucky and his little black dog wearing a colorful cowboy suit and marching on two legs behind his master during the parade last week. Cap spends two hours each day educating his pet canine.

Lucky drives his own car, rides a bicycle, plays badminton and ping-pong, despite his age and physical handicap. He doesn't look a day over 32 or 33, and he attributes this to hard work, exercise, mental activity, and proper diet.

New Discussion Group Formed By Villagers

On Friday evening, April 23, a seminar will be held at 8 p.m. at the Welwood Murray Memorial Library to discuss Plato's "Apology". This will be the first of a series of seminars on the One Hundred and One Great Books to be held weekly until the middle of June, when the group will adjourn until Fall.

The 101 Great Books have been placed on the shelves of the library for the edification of those readers who are interested in liberal education. The subject matter of the Great Books includes history, literature, philosophy, mathematics and science, political theory, social studies, art and languages. These books trace the development of the fundamental human and spiritual problems through the ages down to the present day.

All of those interested in the discussion group are invited to attend Friday evening. The reading of Plato's "Apology" is a requisite. The first hour will be devoted to posing the question, the second hour to its resolution.

Those seeking additional information may contact Miss Dorothy Bear at the library.

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A soldier's dreams of his last scenes at home with loved ones are real and gripping, especially when he has traveled thousands of miles to be stationed in a foreign country among people speaking a strange tongue and with alien customs.

This was especially true in the case of Major Hugh R. Foley, stationed in Vienna, who could think of nothing he would like better than a re-union with his wife and son at The Oasis hotel here. A little more than a year ago, Mrs. Foley and little Johnny had spent the major's last days in this country at that hotel. He had dreamed of re-living this scene, even before returning to his home in Hollywood.

Accordingly, Major Foley cabled from Vienna, acquainting George A. Thompson with his wish. He would fly directly from New York City, where he was scheduled to debark, to Palm Springs. The Oasis hotel is where he wanted to spend a few days with his family before returning to Hollywood. They are there now.

The major's cable to the hotel was as follows: "Was guest of Oasis early March, 1945, during last days with family before going overseas. Would like to spend week upon returning also at The Oasis. Expect to reach there first week of April or second. Would

appreciate your assistance in making pleasant reunion with wife and son, if possible. Will wire Mrs. Foley when I reach New York. Desire to fly direct to Palm Springs. Mrs. Foley will give you correct date. Please inform her of reservation."

Needless to say, The Oasis saw to it that the "pleasant re-union" took place.

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Office Opened for New Subdivision

Desert Palms Estates have opened an office at 311 South Palm Canyon drive as headquarters for their new community on Sunrise Way, according to Paul B. Belding, president.

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Cathedral City News Round-Up

Highway Matters Discussed as New Committee Meets

Letting no grass grow under its feet, the newly appointed road committee of the rapidly growing Civic Club attended a meeting on Monday, April 15, at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Mary Wolseth. Those present as members of the committee were: Paul Clarke, John Cordell, Mr. Bowker, R. D. Landucci, Marion Wilkes, Miss Christina Lillian, Mrs. Anita McMahon, secretary for the committee; Capt. George True, ex-officio member. Frank Russell was the only member not present as he was out of town. As guests of the committee were: Mrs. Paul Clarke, Ben Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cobb, J. K. Wolseth.

It was voted to formulate a resolution to be presented to the board of supervisors reacquainting them with the facts of the road conditions here, both on roads accepted by them for "permanent improvements" and those which because of usage by the general public for more than five years are public thoroughfares to be maintained by public taxation administered by the county.

This latter statement of the status of public thoroughfares was ascertained by Captain True and Mrs. Wolseth in a telephone conversation with the office of the county counsel in Riverside. It was pointed out in the course of the committee meeting that the county had maintained these roads previous to the war and that funds which should be allocated for this purpose during the war and this past year appear to be spent for construction of new roads in this vicinity and to maintenance in parts of this county where there are more voters.

Mrs. Wolseth told the committee that she and Mr. Landucci had talked with J. A. Pascoe, head of the gravel pit project in Cathedral City. He offered to make any changes in their manner of road building which the county road supervisor would advise and that he or his partner, D. E. Layman, would do anything within their power to reassure the citizens of the town.

The meeting adjourned after a motion to meet next Monday night at 8 o'clock at the same place to consider the resolution which will be presented at that time. Before it is sent to Riverside it will be approved by the Civic Club as a whole and will be presented to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce for their approval.

MOUNTAIN DRIVING

When applying brakes on smooth snow or ice on those skiing trips, the Public Safety Department of the National Automobile Club advises motorists to use a very light pumping action so as to avoid locking the wheels and skidding.

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Bill Hillery Comments on Cathedral City

By W. R. HILLERY

When the county health officer called on several residents in our village relative to the unsanitary conditions about their premises we understand that at least one party figured the people of the community simply didn't like him. I can't speak for the community, but I am sure this is not true. A sincere effort is being made to make the village clean and sanitary and to do this it is necessary for every householder in Cathedral City to take the inexpensive pickup service and every business house should give this aid. In some cases they may have to purchase additional garbage cans, but the service is adequate to care for every place. The service can't function if it's not patronized.

The alarm expressed last week at the bulldozer work on land south of Cathedral City was echoed in no uncertain terms by county road man Tipton. Since then we understand that much of the work was done without the sanction of the owners of the land and that steps are being taken to restore the original channels. All of which reminds me that Thursday of this week a scheduled inspection is planned by the newly appointed county flood control engineer, Max Bookman. We hope more will be known on this subject in another week.

Mrs. Mary R. Wolseth has beat the drum to good purpose about registering voters in Cathedral City. With a few affidavits on hand the total voters affidavits placed in the mail directed to the county clerk, Gordon Pequegnat, on the evening of April 17 was 37. Other boosters who did fine work in arousing potential voters were Mr. and Mrs. Alex W. Bowker, who are the new owners of the DeLuxe Trailer Park. Among this group I discovered several soundbatches, among them Arthur Cavanaugh, who once lived in Hot Springs in Tanana Valley, and Charley Williams and his wife, who was on most of the stampedes in the early days of the far north. These Sam McGees did not remain on the marge of Lake LeBarge but came to the most pleasant place in the world to thaw out.

From further south came N. C. Koenig and wife, the latter Fern Scott's sister. Mr. Koenig is a mining engineer associated with U. S. Smelting and Mining Co., and has been operating at Chihuahua, Mexico. Their daughter accompanied them. Must be like a postman's holiday to come to our desert.

If Phat prints my letter or the gist of it my neighbors will know that I have consented to run for trustee on the Desert School Board. There will be more subtraction than addition to my program of jobs, assuming that you put me on the board. One of the jobs is registrar of voters. Any who have not registered have until April 25. In addition to any day of the remaining days left, I plan on being in the office this Saturday afternoon and on Thursday afternoon, the 25th, for the express purpose of registering. With the close of registering for the primary election I have tendered my resignation.

Ross K. Hancock and family are down here for a week's soaking of ultra violet from their home in Santa Maria where Mr. Hancock is engaged in operating not only newspapers, but a radio station.

"Gibbie" Gilbert Niehoff is here from varied service in the war to visit his sisters, Mrs. Don Maher and Mrs. John Palmer. Last week I named the Irving Sussmans as future home owners. The tense was wrong. The California Electric for the past couple of days has been placing poles up Van Fleet street to render service to the group of dwellings which include the Sussman cottage.

I think a lot of people here would like to see some of these energetic workers tie into the matter of a fire protection district. There is nothing that I

Civic Club Meets To Talk Needed Developments

Sixty people assembled on Thursday night, April 11, in the Town Hall, and were disappointed when neither Bob Dillon, supervisor, nor his representative came to answer questions regarding road upkeep here in Cathedral.

This meeting was also held for election of officers. Jovial Capt. George A. True was unanimously elected president; Homer Gould, vice-president; Mrs. Mary Wolseth, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Anita McMahon, corresponding secretary.

Frank Russell, retiring president, thanked the group for their loyal support and agreed to continue to serve as a member of the board. Other members of the board who will also act as committee chairmen are Carl Higgins, sanitation; Lewis Duncan, lot clean-up; Christina Lillian, publicity and desert preservation; Dick Landucci and Elmer Colglazier will also serve on the board.

It was voted to offer the Cub Scouts \$25.00 twice a year as a means of swelling their Scout fund if they would keep the lots and adjacent vacant properties free of refuse.

Claude Cobb reported on the county flood control project hoped for in the near future. He said that it would be June before money might be allocated by the county and that there was no certainty but great promise that our project would be the first to be done.

The bad condition of our roads was discussed at great length. This is a subject which touches every property owner who pays taxes for road upkeep. When Mary Wolseth made the point that we place this responsibility on the county where it belongs and do it now, she was applauded, and on motion of Paul Clarke, appointed chairman of roads. She was asked to appoint her own committee to investigate this complex problem, and hire an attorney, if necessary, to get at facts.

Captain True proposed that we change the name of the organization to Civic Club, the "Civic Improvement Association" being too long for convenient use. It was voted to do this.

Also, it was voted to reduce the membership dues from \$5.00 to \$1.00. A large membership, it was felt, is more important than money at this time.

Plans for Year Mapped at Rally Of Woman's Club

A farewell tea was given in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 17, to the members of the Woman's Club. Hostess for the afternoon was Mrs. Jane Delfaro.

The committee chairmen were named by the president and the program for next year was discussed. Further information about this will be given in next week's Desert Sun as this paper goes to press before the extensive details could be written.

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Personals

J. W. Kyle's pet triangle, which has become the beauty spot of the highway, has been showing colorful gratitude for his untiring efforts. Long may he reign as chief of this project.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Duncan had their son and wife as house guests recently. All four made a trip to Los Angeles. We are glad to report that Mrs. Duncan is feeling much better.

Mrs. Ray Potter and mother spent a week in San Francisco and visited Mrs. Potter's sister.

Miss Marjorie Williams, recently retired from her duties as director of the Hollywood Studio Club, an office she held for over twenty years, is sojourning at the Desert Lodge, where she has been a frequent guest for several years.

Mr. Thiebald has been ill and in a hospital. We hope he is recuperating and well on the road to recovery.

Miss Doris Kerr from Los Angeles was house guest of Matilde Seaman, artist at Studio del Sol. Mrs. Seaman's art classes will come to a close after the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Abels says she had a letter from Mary Moore and Mac saying Florida does not come up to Cathedral City and they are returning to settle here. That is good news for this community, as Mary was leader of the younger set when she was here and will be welcomed with open arms.

Which is a reminder that the war did something permanent for the population of Cathedral, and we're going to ask for a good-sized article in this paper about all the army folks who, because of the war billeting, discovered this was their place to live. They ought to know; they moved around enough to find out.

Mrs. James Lee of the Kreigsmor ranch, Glendora, was a visitor in Cathedral. She and Artist Seaman attended the rodeo together.

Mrs. Veda Kelly is chief coordinator for Cathedral City Veterans of Foreign Wars. This auxiliary meets at Rogers Ranch on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. They are having a membership drive at present. Anyone interested should contact Mrs. Kelly.

Cathedral City Plans Services for Easter

Residents and visitors are invited to the Easter services at 11 a.m. at Town Hall in Cathedral City.

The Rev. John C. Abels will speak on the Easter Message and sing two numbers from Shelley's cantata, "Life and Death."

We are sorry Marvin Hale broke his leg. How come, Marvin? Hope you can throw away those crutches again soon.

Mrs. Paul Clarke's first flying trip from Los Angeles to the local field was somewhat of a thrill, by gosh! Seems like it took 35 minutes flying overhead before the wind permitted them to land. Asked if her flying spirit was daunted, she said, no sir, she would do it again—and soon.

Mrs. Finer, sister of Edna Laas and Flo Wilkes, was a recent visitor here and renewed many old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Naley visited their daughter in Los Angeles, last week.

Mrs. Emma Phillips is doing extensive building on Cathedral Canyon drive and A street. We hope she and her children intend to make their home with us.

Mrs. Harry Lindeman from Spartanburg, North Carolina, is a house guest of Mrs. John Abels. They were on their way to La Jolla last Monday to visit Mrs. Abels' daughter when the car broke down on the road to Banning. Now they've postponed their trip until next week.

Open Forum

Dear Editors: We realize that we are not politicians in this town and I am glad that the Civic Club is giving us an opportunity to put matters before the people clearly.

The first thing is to get voters. Nobody is going to do anything for us when we aren't interested enough in our problems to vote here.

Dear Editor: There is a new vocal spirit in the community which appears to be taking itself very seriously, and I for one am glad of it. When it is pointed out to us that if those living between the Hind's residence and the Wilbor residence do not build walls around their property then the Cathedral City Water Company will have to protect their own property in some way until such time as flood control is done, then it seems to be high time somebody took this problem seriously enough to raise the community voice in question. Also when the county fails to keep up public thoroughfares to the satisfaction of the taxpayers, that's another serious issue.

Dear Editor: I read in "Bill Hillery's Comments" last week that we should construct barriers to protect our properties from flood waters. At a public meeting last week I also heard someone say that one could be sued for damages if he turned the flood on someone else. This question is probably in the minds of many property owners.

A Property Owner.
The Open Forum is to give expression to everybody's comments on Cathedral City items. Please send your letters to Box 65, Cathedral City.

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Cathedral City Stages Drive To Register Voters

The Woman's Club and the Civic Club are urging the residents of Cathedral City to exercise the right to vote in the June 4 primary election and to do it here in this precinct.

W. R. Hillery is registrar in Cathedral and he was in his office all day Wednesday, April 17, taking registrations. The two clubs have put posters around town and will transport anybody to and from Mr. Hillery's office so that they may register before April 26.

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